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10. As to quantity of lignite mined by the Government in Northern Ontario during 1940, 21. Answered, 62.
11. As to resignation or dismissal of F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, 21. Answered, 261.
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13. As to amount spent by the Government to February 15th, 1941, with respect to Air Raid Precautions, 21. Answered, 95.
14. As to cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane, 22. Answered, 301.
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16. As to amounts paid by private companies and Hydro-Electric Power Companies to the Government in the form of water rentals for the years 1936-1940 inclusive, 40. Answered, 81.
17. As to the amounts paid in the form of or in lieu of taxes by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for plants, etc., on the Niagara River to any Municipality for years 1936-1940 inclusive, 40. Answered, 82.
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20. As to whether any new contracts or extensions of previous contracts have been made with any Quebec Power Company since 1937, 41. Answered, 84.
21. As to total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway, 46. Answered, 190.

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29. As to whether the Agricultural Demonstration Farm at New Liskeard is in operation, 48. Answered, 106.
30. As to number of seizures of furs made under the Game and Fisheries enactments and relative laws during fiscal years 1939 and 1940 and from April 1st to December 31st, 1940, 48. Answered, 115.
31. As to number of Liquor Control Board stores in operation when the present Government took office; the number opened and closed since the present Government took office etc., 48. Answered, 70.
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33. As to amount paid by the Department of Game and Fisheries to any other Department of the Government for law enforcement, 48. Answered, 70.
34. As to payments made to John Cowan as Commissioner under the Succession Duty Act in the enquiry into the Spencer estate, 48. Answered, 106.
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55. As to the personnel of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission, 57. Answered, 107.
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58. As to the total peak power sold on the Niagara System for months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40, 58. Answered, 119.
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74. As to whether Mr. A. N. Middleton, Public Trustee, has been superannuated, 73, Answered, 143.
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77. As to the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, 73. Return ordered, 254. Returned, 258. (*Sessional Paper No. 49.*)
78. As to amounts paid and to whom as Iron Ore Bounty since the present Government took office including period from April 1st, 1940, to date, 99. Answered, 178.
79. As to purchase of tourist booklets for fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and 1940, and during period April 1st to December 31st, 1940, 99. Answered, 191.
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86. As to the personnel of the Workmen's Compensation Board including the Chairman, giving date of appointment and salary, 100. Answered, 179.
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88. As to number of physicians, senior assistant physicians, etc., employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, giving name, position held and salary, 100. Answered, 122.
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106. As to gold production in Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940, 194. Answered, 246.
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VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

Of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 1941

PROCLAMATION

ALBERT MATTHEWS

CANADA

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

GEORGE THE SIXTH by the Grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the
British Dominions beyond the Seas KING, Defender of the Faith, Emperor
of India.

To Our Faithful, the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of
our Province of Ontario, and to every of you—GREETING.

G. D. CONANT, }
Attorney-General. } **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and
considerations to convene the Legislative As-
sembly of Our Province of Ontario, WE DO WILL that you and each of you
and all others in this behalf interested, on Wednesday, the nineteenth day of
February now next, at Our City of Toronto, personally be and appear for the
actual Despatch of Business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things

which, in Our Legislature of the Province of Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the GREAT SEAL of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE ALBERT MATTHEWS, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR
OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

At Our City of Toronto, in Our said Province, this eighteenth day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty and in the fifth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Wednesday, the nineteenth day of February, 1941, being the first day of the Sixth Session of the Twentieth Legislature of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Albert Matthews, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province then entered the House and, being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

In extending my welcome to you this afternoon I am saddened by the thought that since the last Session four members of the Legislature have passed away. The former Minister of Education, the Honourable Dr. L. J. Simpson, Mr. W. A. Baird and Mr. C. A. Robertson sat in this Chamber for very many years, while Mr. C. V. Gallagher had been a member since 1937. They rendered valuable and faithful service to our Province and I join with you in paying tribute to their memory.

Two new members have been elected and appointed to the Cabinet: Hon. Duncan McArthur as Minister of Education and Hon. Robert Laurier as Minister of Mines. Hon. F. R. Oliver, who has been a member of the Legislature since 1926, has also been appointed as Minister of Public Works. I should like to extend to them my personal good wishes in their high positions.

During the year that has passed activities of the various Departments have been greatly influenced by considerations arising out of the War. The Government has not hesitated to spend money where this was needed for spurring our war effort. The expenditures usually associated with peace time developments and expansion, however, have been curtailed and, as a result, I am happy to inform you that the finances of the Province are in a very satisfactory condition.

I am sorry I cannot speak in the same way of our great agricultural industry. During the last twelve years the average farm income has dropped from 18% of the national income to 8%, although farmers number 30% of Canada's population. As I told you last year, Great Britain was asking us for larger supplies of bacon, cheese and manufactured milk. Ontario farmers co-operated loyally. Over one-half million hogs and nearly nine million pounds more cheese were marketed last year than in 1939. This year, I am informed, Ontario must produce an additional ten million pounds of cheese. Our farmers realize that Great Britain is paying all she can for food, but they themselves are faced with rising labour costs due to the demands of war industries, and increased prices for the things they need. They believe that if the domestic prices of farm products are pegged the prices of the articles they have to purchase should be pegged also. That, however, is a matter beyond provincial jurisdiction. To alleviate this situation, the Government has agreed to bonus cheddar cheese by two cents a pound and to pay a premium of at least 50 cents a head on all marketed hogs grading B-1 and at least \$1.00 per head on hogs grading A. The necessary financial provision for these bonuses will be submitted to you. With this practical encouragement, it is hoped that the additional demands will be met. The movement to improve seed grain has now reached forty-one counties and ninety-two seed cleaning plants are operating. The Ontario Veterinary College is making a definite attack upon Bangs disease with very promising results and during the past two years 83,000 cattle have been tested.

Efforts are being made through the medium of the secondary schools of the province, to enlist the help of senior boys and girls in solving the problem of the shortage of farm labour. With the co-operation of the schools and universities, arrangements are being made by which several thousand senior pupils will be given credit for the year's full work at Easter and thus be released from further compulsory attendance at school.

War conditions have greatly increased the work of the Attorney-General's Department, particularly with respect to civil security. This has been met, in part, by a new arrangement for calling out the militia; by increasing the numbers and efficiency of the Provincial Police; by constituting the Ontario Volunteer Constabulary and by sponsoring municipal units of Volunteer Civil Guards. In addition, civilian defence committees, patterned on the Air Raid Precaution plan in England have been formed. Enforcement of the Defence of Canada Regulations relating to subversive activities has thrown added work on the Department. In many cases, the consent of the Attorney-General is required before prosecutions may be instituted and, in the important or difficult cases, officials of the Department have conducted the prosecutions. The fullest assistance has been furnished to the Active Service forces in fire instructions and problems of protection from fire and sabotage. Industrial plants have also been given this service.

The Select Committee appointed to enquire into the administration of justice, under the Chairmanship of the Attorney-General, has completed its work and its report will be presented to you. Legislation to implement some of the recommendations of the Committee will be introduced during the Session.

The demands of the war industries have called for special efforts by the Department of Labour. Plans for new buildings totalling over two million dollars a month have had to be inspected and approved, and the safety and health of the workers closely watched. In this connection a special committee has been formed to deal with concessions sought by firms engaged on war orders. To help supply skilled workmen, the Departments of Labour and Education have co-operated with the Dominion authorities in a training programme which uses the technical and vocational schools and special training centres throughout the Province. Instruction is provided in aircraft mechanics, machine shop practice, woodworking, welding, motor mechanics, fitting, power sewing machine operating, radio, tool and die making. Enrolment is over 2,000, which will probably increase to 5,000 in the near future. Training for 1,600 enlisted men in various mechanical trades is also under way. During the first ten months of the fiscal year approximately 3,000 persons were trained under the Youth Training Programme, 948 of them at the Aircraft Training School at Galt for enlistment in the Royal Canadian Air Force as mechanics and wireless operators. One class of 66 operators took their final tests a few days ago and not a single student failed.

Highway construction was curtailed during the year. Tariff and Exchange regulations, together with the development of war industries in Fort William and Port Arthur, emphasized the need for an all-Canadian highway and has resulted in a determined effort to complete the northern and western roads across the Province with the least possible delay. Last year the work was completed from Nipigon to Geraldton and the remaining link from Geraldton to Hearst will be finished this year. The other main project was the completion to Niagara Falls of the Queen Elizabeth Way. This work was done in record time at reasonable cost, and the growing war traffic has fully warranted this expansion. It is expected that the development from Toronto to Oshawa will be completed this year.

The Department of Health reports that 98 per cent. of all milk sold for fluid consumption is now being pasteurized and there has been a marked reduction in disease which may be milk borne. Typhoid fever has been reduced 50 per cent. and undulant fever 45 per cent. An intensive programme of prevention and control has resulted in another four per cent. decrease in the death rate from tuberculosis, which is now down to 28.9 per 100,000 population as compared with 64.7 for the rest of Canada. Laboratory service to all troops in training in the Province has been continued and advice and assistance given on sanitary problems in the various camps. Legislation will be submitted for compulsory hospital treatment where necessary for persons in an infectious state of pulmonary tuberculosis. A Bill will also be presented to permit the Department to supervise any non-profit insurance scheme for medical and hospital care.

The great importance of securing United States exchange has led the Government to set aside \$300,000 this year for tourist publicity, and local tourist associations are co-operating enthusiastically in the campaign. Statistics from

the Game and Fisheries Department indicate the important part it plays in attracting visitors to Ontario. The huge total of 854,000,000 fish of twelve different species were distributed from the 25 hatcheries and rearing stations. During 1939 two short open seasons for beaver resulted in 35,000 pelts being taken. Last year in one open season 20,000 skins were secured, mostly for export to the United States. With a price of over \$20 a pelt the value of this will be realized. Revenues of the Department approximated one million dollars, leaving a balance over expenditure of more than \$440,000.

Although actual figures may not be disclosed, I can assure you that mining production in Ontario last year was far in excess of any previous year. In gold alone 65 mines established new records. On the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway north of Cochrane, drilling and stripping operations continue to uncover extensive beds of lignite coal of which several million tons have been blocked out. Burning tests of this coal, both raw or processed, in many instances exceed expectations. It is hoped that further investigation will result in the commercial development of this fuel for the homes and industries of northern Ontario. Fewer passengers were carried by the railway, but freight traffic increased considerably and earnings will compare favourably with previous years.

With Scandinavian supplies cut off Great Britain has relied upon Canada to meet her need for forest products. Ontario pulp, paper and lumber producers have co-operated to fill these requirements which, together with normal demands, has resulted in an improved and stable market.

Increased power deliveries for war industries have featured the activities of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. Up to September the increase of the primary peak load, all systems, was about 14 per cent., but in subsequent months, due in part to the continuation of Daylight Saving in certain municipalities, the increase in peak load was 6 to 7 per cent.

Continued development of the mining industries was responsible for an increase of 20 per cent. in the total primary peak loads in the districts served by the Northern Ontario Properties. An additional unit of 7,500 horsepower was added to the Ear Falls development serving the Patricia-St. Joseph district, bringing its capacity up to 17,500 horsepower.

In the rural power districts the construction of about 1,400 miles of rural primary lines was authorized to serve some 10,000 new rural consumers. At present about 19,600 miles of rural primary line serve 123,000 consumers, more than half of which are individual farms.

New power developments to serve the Georgian Bay and Eastern Ontario systems respectively have been started at Big Eddy on the Musquash River and at Barrett Chute on the Madawaska River.

In accordance with the arrangement made with the United States which has permitted the use of additional water at Niagara Falls for war purposes, works required for diverting an equivalent flow of water from the Ogoki River to the Great Lakes have been started, and the Long Lake diversion has been put into operation.

The Commission was able to meet all demands and has taken steps to ensure there shall be ample supplies of power for war industries.

The Department of the Provincial Secretary reports that a small but definite reduction in the number of prisoners is continuing. The Ontario Reformatory, Mimico, and the Industrial Farm, Monteith, have been turned over to the Dominion authorities and with the restricted accommodation the policy of using some prisoners in the road camps in northern Ontario is working out satisfactorily.

Capital expenditures by the Department of Public Works continue to be restricted, but satisfactory progress has been made on the Grand River conservation scheme, which will be completed early this year.

During the year 600 children from Great Britain were brought to Ontario under Government auspices, but several thousand homes were readily available to the Department of Public Welfare which is supervising the well-being of the children during their stay. Many private agencies gave willing co-operation in this work. Among those assisting was the Queen's Park War Service Guild. The Guild has raised \$18,000 for war work and has undertaken numerous activities throughout the year, including provision of comforts for more than 700 Civil servants who have enlisted.

The Department of Municipal Affairs reports a decided improvement in municipal finances. Figures for 1940 are not yet available, but during 1939 the gross funded debt was reduced by over sixteen million dollars to the figure of \$388,202,000 or \$112.75 per capita. This is the lowest figure since 1923 when the debt stood at \$376,500,000, or \$133.61 per capita. During 1940 the debt was reduced by several more million dollars and when it is recalled that in 1932 municipal debt amounted to \$504,000,000, the reduction of this figure by more than \$125,000,000 is particularly encouraging. Municipal taxes were also reduced by \$2,100,000 during 1939 to the figure of \$114,255,000, or \$33.18 per capita. This is the lowest figure since 1928 when the total levy was \$110,811,000, or \$36.67 per capita. Employment has increased steadily during the year, but provision for the large numbers of those who are unemployable remains as a continuing problem.

During the month of January representatives of the different provinces were summoned to Ottawa to discuss the Sirois Report on Dominion-Provincial relations. The Ontario delegates emphasized what this Legislature has affirmed in several resolutions, namely: its desire to co-operate fully towards the successful prosecution of the war. My Ministers considered that the constitutional changes contemplated by the Report with the inevitable dislocation of administrative machinery and personnel would be a deterrent to the war effort, and that the issues involved might well await discussion in the calmer days of peace. As you are aware, the Conference closed without any action being taken on the Report.

In addition to the legislation already mentioned, Bills will be introduced to amend The Income Tax Act by increasing exemptions for patriotic purposes; to extend The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act; to amend The Corporation Tax Act; Plant Diseases Act; Milk and Cream Act; Ontario Securities Act;

Division Courts Act; Game and Fisheries Act; Public Health Act; Mental Hospitals Act; Highway Traffic Act and various other statutes.

The Public Accounts for the year ending March 31st, 1940, have been issued and estimates for the ensuing year will be shortly be placed before you.

In conclusion, I trust that wise and thoughtful judgment will guide your deliberations. In many countries parliaments of free people such as this no longer exist. They have been crushed by the heel of the foe with whom we are locked in mortal strife. Our victory is their only hope. The battle may be far away, but let us make no mistake, the issue will decide our way of life just as surely as if it were fought within our borders. Soon the conflict will burst with greater fury. Within her island fortress and shielded by the bastions of sea power, Britain must draw from us and our sister nations the resources of men and materials which will enable her to finish the fearful task. Our English-speaking kinsmen in the great republic to the south realize no less than we the basic things for which we fight. Their vast productive power will feed the scales of decency and freedom. From that, and from our united will to win, we can draw hope for final victory. Let us apply ourselves to the task with courage and steadfast purpose and may Divine Providence guide and sustain our efforts.

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that he had received during the recess, as provided by The Legislative Assembly Act, Section 24 (1) and Section 32 (1) notifications of vacancies which had occurred in the membership of the House and had addressed Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery for the issue of Writs for the election of Members to serve in the present Legislature for the following Electoral Districts:—

The Electoral District of Simcoe Centre.

The Electoral District of Ottawa East.

The Electoral District of Grey South.

*To the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly,
of the Province of Ontario.*

Honoured Sir:

I declare that I resign my seat as a Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, and I do hereby so resign, and I resign as a Member of the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, such resignation of my seat and

membership to take effect on the 8th day of March, 1940, as witness my hand at the City of Toronto this 24th day of February, 1940.

Witness:

J. A. HABEL, M.P.P.

A. W. ROEBUCK.

J. J. GLASS.

Kingston, March 7th, 1940.

*To the Honourable the Speaker of the
Legislative Assembly of Ontario,
Parliament Buildings, Toronto, Ontario.*

Sir:

I hereby declare my intention of resigning my seat in the Legislative Assembly of Ontario for the Electoral District of Kingston.

And I do hereby resign the same.

And I make this declaration under my hand and seal and in the presence of the undersigned witnesses as provided by Clause (B), subsection (1) of Section 24 of The Legislative Assembly Act.

Signed and sealed on this 7th day of March, A.D. 1940.

Signed and sealed in our presence on the 6th
day of March and year above written.

E. COCKBURN.

THOMAS ASHMORE KIDD.

A. E. DAY.

*To the Honourable James H. Clark,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned Mitchell Frederick Hepburn, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Elgin, and Harry Corwin Nixon, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Brant, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Simcoe Centre by reason of the death of Leonard Jennett Simpson, Member elect for the said Electoral Division of Simcoe Centre.

And we the said Mitchell Frederick Hepburn and Harry Corwin Nixon, Members of the Assembly aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new Writ for the Election of a Member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Twenty-first day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty.

Signed and sealed in the presence of

R. H. ELMHIRST.

WINIFRED E. DARKE.

M. F. HEPBURN [Seal]

H. C. NIXON [Seal]

Toronto, September 30th, 1940.

*To Major the Honourable J. H. Clark, K.C.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.*

Dear Major Clark,

I herewith tender my resignation as Member of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario for the constituency of Ottawa-East.

Yours sincerely,
PAUL LEDUC.

Witness:

HELEN MICHAUD.
HELEN FRYE.

*To the Honourable James H. Clark,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned Harry Corwin Nixon, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Brant, and Gordon Daniel Conant, Member for the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Ontario, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Grey South by reason of acceptance of an office under the Crown, To Wit: the office of Minister of Public Works for the Province, by Farquhar R. Oliver, Member elect for the said Electoral Division of Grey South.

And we the said Harry Corwin Nixon and Gordon Daniel Conant, Members of the Assembly aforesaid, hereby require you to issue a new writ for the Election of a Member to fill the said vacancy.

In witness whereby, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Twenty-third day of January in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

Signed and sealed in the presence of

ALEX. C. LEWIS.

H. C. NIXON [Seal]

G. D. CONANT [Seal]

*To the Honourable James H. Clark, K.C.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned, Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Brant, and Harold James Kirby, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Eglinton, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Cochrane South by reason of the death of Charles V. Gallagher, Member for the said Electoral Division of Cochrane South.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Fifteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	H. C. NIXON	[Seal]
ALEX. C. LEWIS.		HAROLD J. KIRBY	[Seal]

*To the Honourable James H. Clark, K.C.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned, Harry Corwin Nixon, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Brant, and Harold James Kirby, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Eglinton, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Huron-Bruce by reason of the death of Charles A. Robertson, Member for the said Electoral Division of Huron-Bruce.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Fifteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	H. C. NIXON	[Seal]
ALEX. C. LEWIS.		HAROLD J. KIRBY	[Seal]

*To the Honourable James H. Clark, K.C.,
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Ontario.*

We, the undersigned, George A. Drew, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of Simcoe East, and Leopold Macaulay, Member of the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of York South, do hereby notify you that a vacancy has occurred in the representation in the said Legislative Assembly for the Electoral Division of High Park by reason of the death of William Alexander Baird, Member for the said Electoral Division of High Park.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals on this Nineteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

Signed and sealed in the presence of	}	G. A. DREW	[Seal]
ALEX. C. LEWIS.		L. MACAULAY	[Seal]

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Clerk had received from the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery and had laid upon the Table certificates of the following elections held since the last Session of the House:—

Electoral District of Simcoe Centre—Duncan McArthur.

Electoral District of Ottawa East—Robert Laurier.

Electoral District of Grey South—Farquhar Robert Oliver.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-fourth day of September, A.D. 1940, issued by the Administrator of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Earl Richardson, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Simcoe Centre, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Simcoe Centre in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Leonard Jennett Simpson, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Simcoe Centre, has departed this life, Duncan McArthur, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-third day of October, A.D. 1940, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, October 24th, 1940.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-third day of October, A.D. 1940, issued by the Administrator of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Joachim Sauve, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Ottawa East, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Ottawa East in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Paul Leduc, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Ottawa East, has resigned, Robert Laurier, Esquire,

has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Ninth day of December, A.D. 1940, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, December 11th, 1940.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that in virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-third day of January, A.D. 1941, issued by the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor, and addressed to John McArthur, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Grey South, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Grey South in the Legislative Assembly of this Province, in the room of Farquhar R. Oliver, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Grey South, has accepted an office of emolument under the Crown, To Wit: the office of Minister of Public Works for the Province of Ontario, by reason whereof the seat of the said Farquhar R. Oliver, Esquire, has become vacant, Farquhar R. Oliver, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected, as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Seventeenth day of February, A.D. 1941, which is now lodged of record in my office.

C. F. BULMER,
Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.

Toronto, February 17th, 1941.

Duncan McArthur, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Simcoe Centre, Robert Laurier, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Ottawa East, and Farquhar Robert Oliver, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Grey South, having taken the Oaths and signed the Roll, took their seats.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 25), intituled, "An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act,"
Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor be taken into consideration to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Select Standing Committees of this House, for the present Session, be appointed for the following purposes: 1. On Privileges and Elections; 2. On Railways; 3. On Miscellaneous Private Bills; 4. On Standing Orders; 5. On Public Accounts; 6. On Printing; 7. On Municipal Law; 8. On Legal Bills; 9. On Agriculture; 10. On Fish and Game; 11. On Labour.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the House, and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon, with power to send for persons, papers and records.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Public Accounts of the Province of Ontario for the twelve months ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 1.*)

Ordered, That the Public Accounts of the Province be referred to the Standing Committee on Public Accounts.

The House then adjourned at 4.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—Select Committee to strike the Standing Committees ordered by this House; also, Select Committee to assist Mr. Speaker in the care of the Library; also, Select Committee to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the estimates for Art purposes.

Mr. Dewan—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act.

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941; also, An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act; also, An Act to amend The Registry Act; also, An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act; also, An Act to amend The County Judges Act; also, An Act to amend The Sheriffs Act; also, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act; also, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Mr. Kirby—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act; also, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'Clock P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Dunbar, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Ottawa.

By Mr. Newlands, the Petition of Harold P. Wright, Richard Dawson and George Appleton; also, the Petition of certain Lodges of the Independent Order of Oddfellows in Hamilton.

By Mr. Duncan, the Petition of the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.

By Mr. McEwing, the Petition of the Trustees of the Rockwood Town Hall, the Trustees of the Police Village of Rockwood and the Municipal Council of the Township of Eramosa.

By Mr. Frost, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Orillia.

By Mr. Cox, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of the City of Port Arthur.

By Mr. Baker, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of West Gwillimbury.

By Mr. Gardhouse, the Petition of the Corporation of the Village of Swansea.

By Mr. Kennedy, the Petition of the National Steel Car Corporation, Limited, and others; also, the Petition of the National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.

By Mr. Bégin, the Petition of the Corporation of the County of Carleton.

By Mr. Blakelock, the Petition of the Board of Governors of Appleby School.

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Board of Management of the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium and others; also, the Petition of the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Schools for the City of Toronto; also, the Petition of the Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited; also, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

By Mr. Drew, the Petition of the Rector and Churchwardens of St. George's Church, Guelph.

By Mr. Fletcher, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Windsor.

By Mr. Cooper, the Petition of the Corporation of the Township of Teck.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee of nine members be appointed to prepare and report with all convenient dispatch lists of the members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House, such committee to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Freeborn (Chairman), Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Glass, Henry, Kennedy, Nixon (Brant), Oliver and Strachan.

The quorum of the said Committee to consist of three Members.

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Carr moved, seconded by Mr. Trottier,

That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor as follows:—

*To The Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.*

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Ontario Historical Society for year 1939-1940. (*Sessional Papers, No. 40.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Public Service Superannuation Board, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers, No. 36.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Niagara Parks Commission for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers, No. 41.*)

Also, Report of the Board of Governors of the University of Toronto for year ending June 30th, 1940. (*Sessional Papers, No. 12.*)

Also, Order-in-Council made pursuant to The Ontario Insurance Act and Guarantee Companies' Securities Act, Department of Insurance. (*Sessional Papers, No. 38.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House dated February 23rd, 1940, That there be laid before this House a Return showing—1. What purchases of coal were made by the Government during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939, indicating (a) the institutions or buildings for which coal was purchased, (b) the kinds and quantities of coal supplied by each dealer, to each institution, (c) the per ton price with respect to each purchase, (d) the total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each institution or building. 2. Was the coal purchased on a tender basis. 3. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 4. Was each dealer who so desired allowed to tender. 5. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased by the Government in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1939. (*Sessional Papers, No. 39.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Nixon (Brant)—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act.

Mr. Duckworth—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made to Dr. W. H. Avery of the City of Toronto by the Government since the present administration took offices and in relation to what services.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox)—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Other than King's Highways or other roads, what public buildings

or other public works are under construction by the Government, stating in each case: (a) Name, location and purpose of each project; (b) Estimated total cost of each project; (c) Probable date of completion of each project.

Mr. Summerville—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the owner of the Royal Cecil Hotel in Toronto. 2. What is the name of the Authority holder. 3. When was the Authority first issued. 4. Has the Authority at any time been suspended and if so when, for what periods and why.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been spent for maintenance on the Long Lac diversion since the works have been put into operation for the driving of pulpwood by: (a) The Government of the Province of Ontario; (b) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. 2. Of the amounts spent for maintenance, what amounts have been repaid by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, giving date and amount of each payment. 3. What amounts are still due the Government by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, with respect to maintenance charges on the Long Lac diversion. 4. Are any persons employed in operation of sluices or other mechanisms in connection with dams or other works connected with the Long Lac diversion by the Government or by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and if so state: (a) Names; (b) Date appointed; (c) By whom paid; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Whether permanent, temporary or seasonal employees.

Mr. Stewart—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What decorative or commemorative features were built by the Department of Highways in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Way near Fort Erie. 2. Of what do these features essentially consist. 3. Who designed them and what was he paid for his work. 4. What was the contract price. 5. Who was the contractor. 6. What was the contractor paid: (a) Under the terms of his contract; (b) For extras or extensions.

Mr. Stewart—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For how many miles on the Kingston Road east of Toronto have posts equipped with reflectors been installed. 2. What was the cost of this equipment, including the installation. 3. On what other highways and to what extent has this equipment been installed. 4. Who made the respective installations and what was each contractor paid with respect to each installation. 5. What is the average cost, per post, of each installation, including the reflectors.

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the acreage of land acquired in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 2. For each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, what amounts were expended by the Government on ordinary account in relation to the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 3. Of the amounts mentioned in (2) what amounts in each period mentioned were in relation to farm operation. 4. Who are the employees at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, specifying: (a) Name; (b) Title and duties; (c) Rate of remuneration.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many motor cars have been purchased by the Government to be used in Highway

patrol work in place of motorcycles. 2. With respect to each car purchased state: (a) Name of manufacturer; (b) From whom purchased; (c) Price of each vehicle. 3. Were competitive tenders secured and if not, why not. 4. How many such cars is it estimated will be in use by: (a) December 31st, 1941; (b) December 31st, 1942. 5. How many such cars will be required to entirely replace the motor cycles now used. 6. What is the estimated annual cost of operating each car, stating: (a) Estimated cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, tire replacements and other charges other than depreciation; (b) Write off for depreciation. 7. What is the annual average cost to the Government in relation to the operation of a motor cycle in Highway patrol work.

Mr. Dunbar—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the indebtedness of the Niagara Parks Commission as of March 31st, 1940, and December 31st, 1940, indicating: (a) Funded debt, provincially guaranteed; (b) Unfunded debt, provincially guaranteed; (c) Funded debt, not provincially guaranteed; (d) Unfunded debt, not provincially guaranteed.

Mr. Reynolds—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. During the calendar year 1940, how many tons of lignite have been mined by the Government in the Northern Ontario fields. 2. To what extent has Northern Ontario lignite been used commercially by the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway or otherwise. 3. How many tons of Northern Ontario lignite have been blocked out and what is the basis of such estimate. 4. Has the government determined the possibility of briquetting or otherwise treating Northern Ontario lignite with a view to extending its general use as a commercial fuel. 5. What amount has the Government spent during the calendar year 1940 in generally exploring, developing and mining the Northern Ontario lignite fuel beds.

Mr. Black—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

Mr. Black—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the rate of Crown Dues as to spruce pulpwood cut from Crown lands. 2. Is any reduction in Crown Dues in effect at the present time and if so, when was it made effective, giving particulars. 3. What is the present rate of Crown Dues on other classes of pulpwood. 4. Are any special reductions in effect at the present time in relation to pulpwood other than spruce and if so, state particulars.

Mr. Black—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government to February 15th, 1941, with respect to Air Raid Precautions: (a) As to materials purchased giving particulars as to kinds and quantities purchased, name of each vendor and amount paid to each vendor; (b) As to all other expenditures. 2. What Air Raid Precautions material is now

on hand stating: (a) Points at which stored; (b) Kinds and quantities of material stored at each point. 3. What official is in general charge of Air Raid Precautions for the Province and generally, what have been his activities in the matter.

Mr. Spence—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

Mr. Spence—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount spent up to December 31st, 1940, on the Ogoki Diversion project by: (a) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. What is the estimated cost of finishing the project. 3. What contractors were employed on the work and what amount was paid to each and by whom. 4. Was any of the work done by day labour; if so what amount was spent in this connection and by whom. 5. Is any work being done on the project at the present time and if so, give particulars. 6. Does any benefit enure to the Province by reason of the work done to date, and, if so, give particulars.

No. 2

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH, 1941

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received---

Of the Corporation of the City of Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass extending until the close of the war the time for expropriating certain lands for the widening of Gladstone Avenue.

Of Harold P. Wright, Richard Dawson and George Appleton, praying that an Act may pass incorporating the Petitioners and others as the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

Of the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law of the said Corporation and certain agreements between the two parties.

Of the Trustees of the Rockwood Town Hall, the Trustees of the Police Village of Rockwood and the Municipal Council of the Township of Eramosa, praying that an Act may pass vesting the Rockwood Town Hall in the Township of Eramosa in Trust for the Police Village of Rockwood.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Orillia, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the extension of the water power developments of the said Corporation.

Of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of the City of Port Arthur, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the establishment of a depreciation fund and the installation of an automatic telephone system by the said Public Utilities Commission.

Of the Corporation of the Township of West Gwillimbury, praying that an Act may pass confirming certain by-laws in connection with the assessment and taxation of certain lands in the Holland Marsh.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Swansea, praying that an Act may pass to compel owners of property to connect their premises with the storm sewers, to compel the installation of sanitary conveniences and for other purposes.

Of the National Steel Car Corporation, Limited, and others, praying that an Act may pass incorporating a Company to be known as Malton Water Company for the purpose of supplying water to the Company's plant and to other parties.

Of the National Steel Car Corporation, Limited, praying that an Act may pass validating certain agreements made with various municipal corporations and permitting the Company to operate a sewerage and drainage system as provided by the said agreements.

Of the Corporation of the County of Carleton, praying that an Act may pass to restrict the exemption from taxation of farm lands belonging to the University of Ottawa.

Of the Board of Governors of Appleby School, praying that an Act may pass changing the designation of "Appleby School" to "Appleby College" and to alter the method of electing the Board of Governors.

Of certain Lodges of the Independent Order of Oddfellows in Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the investment of Lodge funds in a Company known as the I.O.O.F. Temple, Limited.

Of the Board of Management of the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium, and others, praying that an Act may pass to incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children.

Of the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Petitioners and others to amalgamate any separate School Districts desirous of doing so into one School District.

Of the Rector and Churchwardens of St. George's Church, Guelph, praying that an Act may pass validating and confirming the purchase by the Petitioners of the real estate and other property of the Priory Club of Guelph.

Of the Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, praying that an Act may pass to confirm an agreement between the Petitioners and the Borough of the Town of Colne, England, respecting the Estate of the late Peter Birtwistle.

Of the Corporation of the City of Windsor, praying that an Act may pass to legalize certain retiring allowances being paid to employees of the Corporation, to vest in the Corporation the property of the Border Housing Company and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass to validate retiring allowances to certain employees, to deviate from The Assessment Act so as to permit the use of Mechanical Book-keeping methods and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the Township of Teck, praying that an Act may pass to permit the Township to assess the Temiskaming Telephone Co. under Sections 12 and 13 of The Assessment Act, to control the type of buildings to be used for business purposes and for other purposes.

Mr. Conant from the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the Administration of Justice presented the report of the Committee and recommended that it be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the House.

Ordered, That the Report be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the House.

Mr. Freeborn from the Select Committee appointed to strike the Select Standing Committees of the House presented its report which was read as follows, and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the Standing Committees of the House as listed hereunder be composed as follows:—

COMMITTEE ON STANDING ORDERS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Baker, Bélanger, Black, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Guthrie, Habel, Henry, Houck, Kennedy, King, Lamport, Laurier, Macfie, MacGillivray, MacKay, Miller, Murray, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Sinclair, Strachan, Welsh—41.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Armstrong, Baker, Bélanger, Black, Brownridge, Carr, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Drew, Duckworth, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Glass, Gordon, Hagey, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Hunter, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Laurier, Macaulay, Murphy, Murray, McArthur, McQuesten, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh—45.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON RAILWAYS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baker, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Conacher, Cooper, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Hunter, Kelly, Kennedy, Kirby, Macaulay, Macfie, Mercer, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRIVATE BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bélanger, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Conacher, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Croome, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Houck, Hunter, Kelly, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Lamport, Laurier, Macaulay, Macfie, MacKay, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McArthur, McEwing, McQuesten, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Sinclair, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier, Welsh—74.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Anderson, Armstrong, Arnott, Baker, Ballantyne, Bélanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Heenan, Henry, Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Lamport, Laurier, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, MacKay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McArthur, McEwing, McQuesten, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Smith, Stewart, Strachan, Welsh.—69.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Bégin, Bélanger, Campbell (Kent East), Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Croome, Downer, Dunbar, Duncan, Fairbank, Guthrie, Habel, Henry, Hunter, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Laurier, Murphy, McArthur, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Strachan—28.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Campbell (Kent East), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duckworth, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Habel, Hagey, Haines, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hipel, Houck, Kelly, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Lamport, Macaulay, Macfie, MacGillivray, MacKay, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, McQuesten, Newlands, Oliver, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Stewart, Strachan, Summerville, Trottier—60.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL BILLS

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Bélanger, Bethune, Bradley, Conant, Cooper, Cox, Croll, Cross, Drew, Elgie, Elliott, Fletcher, Frost, Gordon, Glass, Hagey, Henry, Kennedy, Kirby, Laurier, Macaulay, Murphy, McQuesten, Newlands, Stewart, Strachan—29.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Bégin, Bethune, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Downer, Drew, Duckworth, Duncan, Fletcher, Freeborn, Frost, Gardhouse, Guthrie, Habel, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Houck, Hunter, Kennedy, King, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Sinclair, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—54.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON FISH AND GAME

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Acres, Armstrong, Baker, Ballantyne, Bélanger, Black, Blakelock, Bradley, Brownridge, Campbell (Kent East), Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie), Carr, Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cooper, Cox, Croome, Dewan, Dickson, Doucett, Drew, Duncan, Elgie, Elliott, Fairbank, Fletcher, Freeborn, Gardhouse, Gordon, Guthrie, Habel, Haines, Heenan, Henry, Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox), Hunter, Kelly, Kennedy, Kirby, Lamport, Macfie, MacGillivray, Mercer, Miller, Murphy, Murray, McEwing, Newlands, Nixon (Brant), Nixon (Temiskaming), Oliver, Patterson, Reynolds, Sinclair, Smith, Spence, Strachan, Trottier, Welsh—61.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of nine Members.

COMMITTEE ON LABOUR

The Honourable Mr. Hepburn, Messrs. Anderson, Arnott, Blakelock, Challies, Cholette, Conacher, Cross, Dickson, Drew, Duckworth, Dunbar, Elliott, Fairbank, Frost, Gardhouse, Glass, Gordon, Haines, Hagey, Heenan, Hipel, Kelly, Kennedy, King, Kirby, Macaulay, MacKay, McArthur, Newlands, Oliver, Smith, Spence, Stewart, Strachan, Trottier—36.

The Quorum of the said Committee to consist of seven Members.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That Mr. Patterson be appointed as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for the present Session.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to act with Mr. Speaker in the control and management of the Library, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Armstrong (Chairman), Arnott, Bélanger, Black, Duncan, Fairbank, Henry, King and Laurier.

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That a Select Committee be appointed to direct the expenditure of any sum set apart in the estimates for art purposes, to be composed as follows:—

Messrs. Hunter (Chairman), Bélanger, Black, Kelly, Kennedy, McQuesten, Murray, Oliver and Patterson.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 26), intituled, "An Act to amend The Sheriffs Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 27), intituled, "An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 28), intituled, "An Act to amend The County Judges Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 29), intituled, "The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 30), intituled, "An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 31), intituled, "An Act to amend The Registry Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 32), intituled, "An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 33), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Health Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 34), intituled, "An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 35), intituled, "An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Annual Report of the Civil Service Commissioner of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers, No. 37.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act respecting Business Brokers; also, An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act, 1939; also, An Act to amend The General Sessions Act; also, An Act to amend The Justices of the Peace Act.

Mr. Laurier—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Mining Act.

NOTICE

The Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 on Tuesday, February 25th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

No. 3

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, 1941

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TORONTO, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 36), intituled, "An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act." *Mr. Nixon* (Brant).

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Sheriffs Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 27), An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 29), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 31, An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 3.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Strachan—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Magistrate's Act.

Mr. Nixon (Brant)—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Mr. Conant—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act; also, An Act to amend The Securities Act.

NOTICES

The Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Tuesday), February 25th, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

The Select Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 on Thursday morning, February 27th, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 1941

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Cooper, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Sudbury.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Standing Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following petitions and finds the notices as published in each case sufficient.

Of the Corporation of the County of Carleton, praying that an Act may pass to restrict the exemption from taxation of farm lands belonging to the University of Ottawa.

Of the Board of Governors of Appleby School, praying that an Act may pass changing the designation of "Appleby School" to "Appleby College" and to alter the method of electing the Board of Governors.

Of certain Lodges of the Independent Order of Oddfellows in Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the investment of Lodge funds in a Company known as the I.O.O.F. Temple, Limited.

Of Harold P. Wright, Richard Dawson and George Appleton, praying that an Act may pass incorporating the Petitioners and others as the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

Of the Corporation of the Township of West Gwillimbury, praying that an Act may pass confirming certain by-laws in connection with the assessment and taxation of certain lands in Holland Marsh.

Of the Corporation of the Village of Swansea, praying that an Act may pass to compel owners of property to connect their premises with the storm sewers, to compel the installation of sanitary conveniences and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of Windsor, praying that an Act may pass to legalize certain retiring allowances being paid to employees of the Corporation, to vest in the Corporation the property of the Border Housing Company and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass to validate retiring allowances to certain employees, to deviate from The Assessment Act so as to permit the use of mechanical book-keeping methods and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of Ottawa, praying that an Act may pass extending until after the close of the war the time for expropriating certain lands for the widening of Gladstone Avenue.

Of the Trusts and Guarantee Corporation, praying that an Act may pass to confirm an agreement between the Petitioners and the Borough of Colne, England, respecting the estate of the late Peter Birtwistle.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 37), intituled, "An Act to amend The Judicature Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 38), intituled, "An Act to amend The General Sessions Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 39), intituled, "An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario." *Mr. Newlands.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "Bn Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa." *Mr. Bégin.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting Appleby School." *Mr. Blakelock.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Ottawa." *Mr. Dunbar.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury." *Mr. Baker.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act respecting Certain Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, Independent Order of Oddfellows." *Mr. Newlands.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 18), intituled, "An Act respecting a Trust Settlement of the late Peter Birtwistle and the Corporation of the Borough of Colne (England). *Mr. Strachan.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

THAT the motion for an address in reply to the Speech from His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor be amended by adding thereto the following words:

"And the members of this Legislature are of the opinion that the Government of Ontario should convey a message to His Majesty's Government of the Dominion of Canada expressing the desire that a Conference of representatives of the Dominion and all provincial governments be convened as soon as possible for the following purposes:

"A. To adopt such measures as may be necessary to assure our greatest possible war effort by inter-governmental co-operation.

"B. To adopt such measures as may be necessary to meet the emergencies created by the war.

"C. To adopt such measures as may be necessary to assure adequate prices for our agricultural products.

"D. To adopt such measures as may be necessary to protect the established rights of Labour.

"E. To devise plans for the rehabilitation of the members of our armed forces and for the re-employment of civilians who will be thrown out of work by post-war industrial readjustments.

"And to consider such other questions relating to the welfare and security of our people as may be deemed advisable."

The Debate continued and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Strachan,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The House then adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Public Service Act; also, An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been paid (1) by private companies, (2) Hydro-Electric Power Companies to the Government of Ontario in the form of water rentals for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What total amounts have been paid in the form of or in lieu of taxes by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for plants, etc., on the Niagara River to any Municipality for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What system or systems secured power from the Chat Falls Plant during the Hydro year 1939-40, and what was the 20-minute peak in horsepower per month in each case. 2. What system or systems were charged for the carrying charges of the frequency changer at the Chats Falls plant and what was the yearly charge and how allocated.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the total amount paid by Ontario Rural Hydro users under the 8% Dominion War Tax for the Hydro year 1939-40.

Mr. Challies—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Have any new contracts or extension of previous contracts or agreement or understanding been made with any Quebec Power Company since May, 1937, in reference to supply of Electric Energy. If any, give names of Companies and particulars as to (a) Amount of energy; (b) Load Factor; (c) Date; (d) Price; (e) Point of delivery; (f) Voltage.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday, the 3rd day of March next.

Bill (No. 2), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario."

Bill (No. 12), intituled, "An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa."

Bill (No. 13), intituled, "An Act respecting Appleby School."

Bill (No. 1), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Ottawa."

Bill (No. 7), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury."

Bill (No. 14), intituled, "An Act respecting Certain Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, Independent Order of Odd Fellows."

No. 5

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1941

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the City of Sudbury, praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law of the Petitioners to impose a charge on certain citizens for the use of water from standpipes in the said City.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 40), intituled, "An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The General Sessions Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Minister of Lands and Forests of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 3.*)

Also, Statement of the Legislative Grants apportioned to the Rural Public Schools and all Separate Schools for the year 1940, Department of Education. (*Sessional Papers No. 42.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many hogs were lost in 1940 at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph as a result of hog cholera. 2. What was their value. 3. When was the outbreak of cholera detected and when was it brought under control.

Mr. Duckworth—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—

July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government in the erection of a comfort station at Port Burwell in the constituency of Elgin. 2. What municipal bodies or officials, organizations or individuals requested the Government to install this convenience. 3. What was paid by the Government for: (a) Land; (b) Construction of buildings and furnishing and installing equipment. 4. From whom was the land purchased and what was the area. 5. To whom were contracts let for buildings, and for furnishing and installation of equipment and state amount paid to each. 6. Is a caretaker or other staff furnished by the Government to look after maintenance of the convenience, and if so, give particulars. 7. Is installation of this comfort station part of a general programme on the part of the Government to install such stations generally at summer resorts or elsewhere and if so, state at what points similar installations have been made.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What individuals or organizations recommended the founding of Ipperwash Park in the County of Lambton. 2. Who acted as valuator for the Government in the purchase of the land. 3. Aside from the purchase price of \$10,000 what amount has been spent on Ipperwash Park by way of: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 4. What improvements have been placed on the property by the Government. 5. What staff are employed at the Park, stating: (a) Name; (b) Date appointed; (c) Whether temporary, permanent or seasonal; (d) Salary or wage rates. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Park, when was he appointed and what is his salary. 7. What Department of the Government is concerned with administering the affairs of the Park.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total expense to the Province of Ontario involved in delivery of the Clydesdale stallion, Craigie Realization, at the Ontario Agricultural College, including purchase price and all transportation and other charges relating to delivery of the animal. 2. When did the animal arrive at the Ontario Agricultural College. 3. When did he die. 4. Has the Government any information as to his progeny, and if so, what is the number thereof. 5. How many of his progeny are now owned by the Province and where are they located.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox)—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and 1940, what amount was paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers Marketing Board under the provisions of The Ontario Farm Products Control Act.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Government any information respecting an epidemic of hog cholera in the western part

of the Province during the year 1940. 2. If so: (a) What measures were taken by the Government in the matters of localizing and checking the epidemic; (b) How many hogs were effected and destroyed; (c) What was the approximate value of the hogs destroyed; (d) Has any measure of compensation been granted by the Government to hog owners and, if so, give particulars.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Agricultural Demonstration Farm at New Liskeard in operation. 2. What expenditures, specifying capital and ordinary, have been made with respect to the operation of this farm in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939.

Mr. Stewart—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many seizures of furs have been made under the provisions of Game and Fisheries enactments and relative laws during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs sold and what was the amount realized from such sales in each of the periods. 3. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs returned to the parties from whom they were seized. 4. Where furs or pelts were seized in each of the periods mentioned in (1) state: (a) Number of prosecutions in each period; (b) Number of convictions registered in each period; (c) Number of fines imposed and total amount of fines imposed in each period; (d) Number and total amount of such fines paid in each period; (e) Number of prison terms imposed in each period; (f) Number of acquittals in each period.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of Liquor Control Board stores when the present Government took office. 2. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been opened by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location of store; (b) Date of opening in each case. 3. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been closed by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location; (b) Date of closing; (c) Reason for closing. 4. How many Liquor Control Board stores were in operation on December 31st, 1940.

Mr. Murphy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many persons are employed as censors in the stores operated by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What is their average salary.

Mr. Murphy—In Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid by the Department of Game and Fisheries to any other Department of the Government in relation to enforcement of Game and Fish laws between April 1st, 1937, and March 31st, 1940, and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating the amounts paid to the respective Departments.

Mr. Frost—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments were made to John Cowan, as Commissioner under The Succession Duty Act, in the matter of inquiry into the Spencer estate. 2. What other payments, if any, have been made to Mr. Cowan as fees, salary, honoraria, allowances or otherwise and for what services other than his remuneration as Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Lambton County, specifying dates of payments.

Mr. Duckworth—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the present salary of Mr. Chester S. Walters. 2. Are Mr. Walters' titles and duties still as the Legislative Assembly was informed on March 6th, 1936 (Question No. 78), and if not, specify changes. 3. What amounts have been paid Mr. Chester S. Walters by way of travelling or other expenses: (a) In the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; (b) In the current fiscal year.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), February 27th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

No. 6

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH, 1941

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was on the motion of Mr. Freeborn,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Supplementary Report of The Ontario Department of Public Welfare in connection with the programme to place British children in Ontario homes for the duration of the War. (*Sessional Papers No. 7A*)

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The House then adjourned at 5.05 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

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Mr. Conant—On Monday next—An Act respecting Bailiffs; also, An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act; also, An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Mr. Reynolds—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

Mr. Summerville—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Hydro-Electric Power Commission purchased any power plants since 1937, and if so give particulars in each case as to: (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Kilowatt hour capacity in normal year and normal capacity; (d) Date of construction; (e) Location; (f) Date of purchase.

Mr. Reynolds—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the peak loads and kilowatt hours purchased from each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month of the years 1938-1939. 2. What amount was paid for standby services, or secondary sundry power, during the above months.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power taken each month in horse-power from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since December, 1939.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue received from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro year 1939-1940. 2. What were: (a) Operating expenses; (b) Maintenance cost; (c) Interest charges; (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the total accumulated reserves to October 31st, 1940: (a) Sinking Fund; (b) Depreciation; (c) Contingencies and rate stabilization; (d) Any other reserves. 4. What was the capital cost in the years 1939-1940.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount of horse-power of electric energy being exported during 1939-1940 to Massena, N.Y., by the, or through, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission: (a) From what Company or source is the energy secured by the Commission; (b) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the N.Y. interests to the Commission; (c) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the Commission to Company supplying the energy; (d) What is the Load Factor; (e) What price per horsepower does the Hydro-Electric Power Commission receive for this energy; (f) Is the price paid in United States or Canadian funds.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated cost of the new development at Barrett Shute on the Madawaska

River, exclusive of storage facilities. 2. What is the estimated cost of storage facilities. 3. What is the proposed installed horse-power of the plant. 4. What is the estimated maximum capacity of the plants at normal efficiency with spare equipment. State amount of latter. 5. What is the average annual horse-power capacity of plant in a normal year, utilizing the storage above named in (2). 6. What is estimated annual load factor of plant utilizing the water available in a normal year in the most economical manner.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the total horse-power exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States, giving names in each case with point of delivery, by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1939 and 1940: (a) Peak horse-power; (b) Kilowatt hours; (c) Price per horse-power.

Mr. Doucett—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are the lands of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, constituted a Game Preserve; if so, when was such action taken. 2. Is any hunting or fishing allowed within the boundaries of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, detailing any prohibitions in effect under the Game and Fishery laws.

Mr. Doucett—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been paid by the Government or by any Board or Commission of the Government to Armand Racine, K.C., specifying: (a) Date of each payment; (b) Amount of each payment; (c) Nature of services rendered; (d) Total amount paid. 2. What amounts are due to or claimed by Armand Racine at date.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Which Ontario Hospitals are equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 2. Which

Ontario Hospitals are not equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 3. What steps, if any, have been taken to implement the recommendation on Page 63 of the Dr. Sam Hamilton report that moving pictures with sound should be provided for every institution (1937 Session, Sessional Paper No. 53).

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What has been the total amount expended by the Province to date by way of capital expenditure on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas. 2. What amounts, if any, are due to or claimed by, contractors or others as holdbacks, amounts in dispute or otherwise with respect to capital costs at the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, giving details.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have any buildings other than the Administration Building been constructed in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur; if so give particulars. 2. What amount has been spent to December 31st, 1940, on the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur on: (a) Capital account including land purchases, construction, etc.; (b) Ordinary account, including maintenance, salaries and wages of staff, heating, etc. 3. Are any amounts due to or claimed by contractors or others with respect to construction costs or other capital items and, if so, give particulars. 4. What staff is employed at the Port Arthur Hospital giving names, salary or wage rates and date employed. 5. Is any use being made of the administration building and, if so, specify. 6. Have any proposals been made as to using the administration building for other than mental hospital purposes, and, if so, give particulars.

Mr. Doucett—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From January 1st, 1936, to December 31st, 1940, what special Crown Prosecutors have been appointed to assist at Assizes or other Courts, stating: (a) Name; (b) Legal matter or assize; (c) Per diem or other rate of remuneration; (d) Total amount paid each special prosecutor.

Mr. Black—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On January 31st, 1941, how many patients at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were: (a) In residence; (b) Boarded out; (c) On probation. 2. On January 31st, 1941, how many applications for admission to the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were on file,

which could not be dealt with because of lack of room. 3. How many patients were discharged from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. How many of the discharged patients mentioned in (3) were placed in gainful occupations through the efforts of the Hospital organization. 5. What was the proper patient capacity of the Orillia Hospital according to the report of Dr. Sam Hamilton. 6. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 7. What was the sale value of the shoes mentioned in (6). 8. How many pairs of shoes were sold from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 9. What was the sales value of the shoes mentioned in (8). 10. Have any additional lands been purchased for use in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Orillia and, if so, state: (a) Description of lands acquired; (b) From whom acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel; (d) Date of purchase.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What buildings at the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton were destroyed by fire in or about the month of August, 1940. 2. At what hour was the fire discovered. 3. What was the size of each building destroyed, of what construction, for what ordinarily used and what stock ordinarily was housed therein. 4. What was the estimated value of each of the buildings destroyed. 5. What was the quantity and value of property destroyed other than buildings and including: (a) Live stock; (b) Hay, grain and feeds; (c) Implements and other farm equipment; (d) Other property, specifying. 6. At the time of the fire, what was the live stock at the Hospital, specifying: (a) Horses; (b) Cattle; (c) Hogs; (d) Other stock. 7. What disposition has been made of this stock. 8. Have steps been taken to replace the buildings destroyed; if so, state: (a) Actual or estimated replacement costs; (b) Date when replacement will be effected. 9. Were buildings or property insured; if so state amount of insurance collected. 10. Is there any arrangement in existence whereby the Hamilton Fire Brigade will assist in protecting Hospital property; if so when was it made and what are the terms thereof. 11. What fire brigades assisted in combatting the fire. 12. Was an ample water supply available for firefighting purposes; if not, why not. 13. Was an investigation made as to cause of, responsibility for and circumstances surrounding, the fire, and if so, by whom. 14. If investigation held, what were the findings as to cause, surrounding circumstances and responsibility. 15. If the dairy herd at the Hospital has been sold or placed elsewhere, state arrangements as to milk supply, indicating: (a) From whom secured; (b) Cost per gallon or hundred weight; (c) Average monthly cost.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what solicitors have been appointed to the Inside Service, stating: (a) Name of Solicitor; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Initial salary; (d) Present salary; (e) Department to which attached. 2. Was the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioner issued with respect to each appointment, and, if not, specify. 3. Was the minimum salary exceeded in any case according to the Classification of the Civil Service and if so, specify, giving reasons.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total payment made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month for the years 1938-39.

Mr. Drew—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading "These are the Facts." 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.

No. 7

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 41), intituled, "An Act to amend The Magistrate's Act." *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 42), intituled, "An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 43), intituled, "An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 1):—

1. What payments have been made to Dr. W. H. Avery of the City of Toronto by the Government since the present administration took offices and in relation to what services.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. \$2,421.40—Coroner—1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940; \$3,850.00—Member of Royal Commission re Mental Hospitals, 1938-1939; \$4,250.00—Medical Con-

sultant, Department of Health, October 1st, 1939-February 28th, 1941; \$455.36-- Travelling Expenses.

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 10):—

1. During the calendar year 1940, how many tons of lignite have been mined by the Government in the Northern Ontario fields. 2. To what extent has Northern Ontario lignite been used commercially by the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway or otherwise. 3. How many tons of Northern Ontario lignite have been blocked out and what is the basis of such estimate. 4. Has the Government determined the possibility of briquetting or otherwise treating Northern Ontario lignite with a view to extending its general use as a commercial fuel. 5. What amount has the Government spent during the calendar year 1940 in generally exploring, developing and mining the Northern Ontario lignite fuel beds.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1. 200 tons for testing purposes only. 2. Only in an experimental way in the making of certain burning tests. 3. Two areas totalling 200 acres show a definite commercial tonnage of 7,000,000 tons. Other potential areas are known to exist and drilling on these areas is progressing. 4. No recent tests have been made in briquetting. Tests have, however, been made in steam drying with very satisfactory results. 5. \$23,418.58.

Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 12):—

1. What is the rate of Crown Dues as to spruce pulpwood cut from Crown lands. 2. Is any reduction in Crown Dues in effect at the present time and if so, when was it made effective, giving particulars. 3. What is the present rate of Crown Dues on other classes of pulpwood. 4. Are any special reductions in effect at the present time in relation to pulpwood other than spruce and if so, state particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. \$1.40 per cord. 2. Yes. By Order-in-Council dated May 10th, 1940, Spruce Pulpwood cut from Crown Lands up to April 1st, 1941, is subject to a reduction of 40 cents from the regular Crown Dues of \$1.40 per cord. Spruce Pulpwood cut from Crown Lands and authorized to be exported is not subject to any reduction from the regular Crown Dues of \$1.40 per cord. 3. Balsam Pulpwood, 70c. per cord; other Pulpwood, 40c. per cord. 4. No.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 35):—

1. What is the present salary of Mr. Chester S. Walters. 2. Are Mr. Walters' titles and duties still as the Legislative Assembly was informed on

March 6th, 1936 (Question No. 78), and if not, specify changes. 3. What amounts have been paid Mr. Chester S. Walters by way of travelling or other expenses: (a) In the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; (b) In the current fiscal year.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. \$10,000.00 per annum for 2 positions—Controller of Finances and Deputy Provincial Treasurer. 2. No. He relinquished the position of Deputy Minister of Public Works on July 1st, 1937. 3. (a) \$1,014.00—Expenses to Australia and return; (b) None.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Sheriffs Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 27), An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The County Judges Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr.

Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 29), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Registry Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Health Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The General Sessions Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Labour of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 10.*)

ERRATUM—*vide* Page 53, Votes and Proceedings No. 7, February 27th, 1941—for Sessional Paper No. 41 read Sessional Paper No. 43.

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kennedy—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Weed Control Act; also, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Spencer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Deputy Fire Marshal of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary. 4. What are his specific qualifications for the position.

Mr. Acres—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.

Mr. Kennedy—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, what payments have been made to Cockfield, Brown and Co., Ltd.

Mr. Duckworth—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many pupils are enrolled during the current school year at the Ontario School for the Blind at Brantford. 2. How many pupils have graduated therefrom in each of the school years 1930 to 1940, inclusive. 3. How many employees are there on: (a) The teaching staff; (b) The business office staff; (c) All other staffs. 4. Are any graduates of the School employed therein and if so, how many, indicating the number in the several categories. 5. Who is the Principal or Superintendent. 6. When was he appointed. 7. What was his initial salary and what is his present salary. 8. What are his academic qualifications; what are his special qualifications and where and how acquired. 9. What was the revenue from the School in 1938, 1939 and 1940 fiscal years from (a) Fees; (b) All other sources. 10. What was the gross cost of operation in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 11. What was the gross per capita per day in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 12. What is the amount of farm and garden land cultivated in connection with the School. 13. How many graduates in the school years ending in 1938, 1939 and 1940, respectively, were placed in gainful occupation with the assistance of the School organization.

Mr. Acres—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.

Mr. Kennedy—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Dr. Sophie Bookhalter employed in the Department of Health for Ontario. 2. If so, where is Dr. Bookhalter employed, what was the date of her appointment, what is the nature of her duties and what is her official title and salary. 3. Who aside from members of the Government and officials of the Government recommended Dr. Bookhalter's appointment. 4. Was Dr. Bookhalter a resident of Ontario when appointed and if not, where was she residing. 5. What special qualifications, if any, has Dr. Bookhalter in relation to her work.

Mr. Kennedy—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.

Mr. Black—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.

NOTICE

The following Standing Committees will meet at the times and places severally mentioned:—

Standing Orders, in Committee Room No. 1, on Tuesday, March 4th, at 10.30 a.m.

Private Bills, in Committee Room No. 1, on Wednesday, March 5th, at 10.30 a.m., for organization and business.

Agriculture, in Committee Room No. 2, on Thursday, March 6th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 8

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH, 1941

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 3RD, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 44), intituled, "An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 45), intituled, "An Act respecting Bailiffs." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 46), intituled, "An Act to amend The Companies Act." *Mr. Nixon (Brant).*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Mr. Summerville asked the following Question (No. 3):—

1. Who is the owner of the Royal Cecil Hotel in Toronto. 2. What is the name of the Authority holder. 3. When was the Authority first issued. 4. Has the Authority at any time been suspended and if so when, for what periods any why.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1, 2 and 3. A Standard Hotel License was issued to James Franceschini in 1932. In July, 1934, an authority in connection with these premises was issued to the Dufferin Construction Co., Limited, and continued in this name

since. Since July, 1940, these premises have been operated under the control and supervision of Price, Waterhouse and Co., Chartered Accountants, who are the local representatives of the Custodian of Enemy Property. 4. No.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 31):—

1. What was the total number of Liquor Control Board stores when the present Government took office. 2. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been opened by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location of store; (b) Date of opening in each case. 3. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been closed by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location; (b) Date of closing; (c) Reason for closing. 4. How many Liquor Control Board stores were in operation on December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 124. 2. 6 Stores opened as follows: Tilbury, May 29th, 1935; Morrisburg, June 8th, 1935; South Porcupine, Feb. 15th, 1936; Collingwood, June 28th, 1938; Geraldton, July 21st, 1938; Bracebridge, June 29th, 1939. 3. 1 Store closed, namely: (a) 334 London Street, Windsor; (b) January 18th, 1936; (c) It was found that satisfactory service to the public could be given in Windsor with four stores in operation instead of five. 4. 129.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 32):—

1. How many persons are employed as censors in the stores operated by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What is their average salary.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. There is no position in the service of the Liquor Control Board which is classed as that of "Censor". It is presumed that information is desired with respect to permit endorsers and issuers. In 45 stores, 62 employees are engaged in endorsing and issuing permits. In the remaining 84 stores, this work is done by employees who spend the greater part of their time on other store work. 2. \$29.00 per week.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 33):—

1. What was the total amount paid by the Department of Game and Fisheries to any other Department of the Government in relation to enforcement of Game and Fish laws between April 1st, 1937, and March 31st, 1940, and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating the amounts paid to the respective Departments.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1.	Apr. 1st, 1937, to Mar. 31st, 1940	April 1st, 1940, to Dec. 31st, 1940
Ontario Provincial Police.....	\$5,538.41	\$804.16
Ontario Provincial Air Service.....	748.00	65.00
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	\$6,286.41	\$869.16

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 26), An Act to amend The Sheriffs Act.

Bill (No. 27), An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

Bill (No. 28), An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

Bill (No. 29), The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941.

Bill (No. 30), An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

Bill (No. 31), An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Bill (No. 25), An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill (No. 33), An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Bill (No. 34), An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act.

Bill (No. 35), An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act.

Bill (No. 36), An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act.

Bill (No. 38), An Act to amend The General Sessions Act.

Bill (No. 39), An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act, 1939.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrate's Act.

Referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday next.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday next.

On the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Sir Frederick Banting, and as an expression of the realization by this Legislative Assembly of Ontario of the great loss sustained by this, his native province, and by Canada, through his untimely and tragic death, when this House adjourns to-day it do stand adjourned until Wednesday next, the 5th instant.

The House then adjourned at 4.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—The Tax Sales Confirmation Act, 1941.

Mr. Kirby—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Mr. Hipel—On Wednesday next—An Act respecting British Child Guests; also An Act to amend The Adoption Act.

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

Mr. Henry—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.

Mr. Henry—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.

Mr. Duckworth—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric

Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

Mr. Doucett—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Mr. A. N. Middleton, Public Trustee, superannuated, and if so, when. 2. Who is his successor. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. What are his special qualifications for the position. 6. How many employees are on the staff in the office of the Public Trustee. 7. What was the total cost of operating the office of the Public Trustee in the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940. 8. On December 31st, 1940, how many estates of Ontario Hospital patients were being administered by the Public Trustee. 9. How many estates or matters, other than estates of mental hospital patients, were being administered by the Public Trustee on December 31st, 1940.

Mr. Murphy—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.

Mr. Challies—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

Mr. Murphy—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Tuesday), March 4th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 9

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TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were severally brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Habel, the Petition of the Corporation of the Town of Timmins.

By Mr. Smith, the Petition of the Corporation of the County of Waterloo.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their First Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill with one amendment:—

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Standing Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London, praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law of the said Corporation and certain agreements between the two parties.

Of the National Steel Car Corporation Limited and others, praying that an Act may pass incorporating a Company to be known as the Malton Water Company for the purpose of supplying water to the Company's plant and to other parties.

Of the National Steel Car Corporation, Limited, praying that an Act may pass validating certain agreements made with various municipal corporations and permitting the Company to operate a sewerage and drainage system as provided by the said agreements.

Of the Rector and Churchwardens of St. George's Church, Guelph, praying that an Act may pass validating and confirming the purchase by the Petitioners of the real estate and other property of the Priory Club of Guelph.

Of the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Petitioners and others to amalgamate any Separate School Districts desirous of doing so into one School District.

Of the Corporation of the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of the City of Port Arthur, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the establishment of a depreciation fund and the installation of an automatic telephone system by the said Public Utilities Commission.

Of the Board of Management of the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium praying that an Act may pass to incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children.

Of the Trustees of the Rockwood Town Hall, the Trustees of the Police Village of Rockwood and the Municipal Council of the Township of Eramosa, praying that an Act may pass vesting the Rockwood Town Hall in the Township of Eramosa in trust for the Police Village of Rockwood.

Of the Corporation of the Town of Orillia, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the extension of the water power development of the said Corporation.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "An Act respecting the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London." *Mr. Duncan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 4), intituled, "An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall." *Mr. McEwing.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 5), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Orillia." *Mr. Frost.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur." *Mr. Cox.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children." *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Swansea." *Mr. Gardhouse.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 19), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Windsor." *Mr. Fletcher.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 47), intituled, "An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 48), intituled, "An Act to Confirm Tax Sales." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 49), intituled, "An Act respecting Business Brokers." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 4):—

1. What amounts have been spent for maintenance on the Long Lac diversion since the works have been put into operation for the driving of pulpwood by: (a) The Government of the Province of Ontario; (b) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. 2. Of the amounts spent for maintenance, what amounts have been repaid by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, giving

date and amount of each payment. 3. What amounts are still due the Government by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, with respect to maintenance charges on the Long Lac diversion. 4. Are any persons employed in operation of sluices or other mechanisms in connection with dams or other works connected with the Long Lac diversion by the Government or by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and if so state: (a) Names; (b) Date appointed; (c) By whom paid; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Whether permanent, temporary or seasonal employees.

/ The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. (a) \$115.31; (b) \$198.05. 2. \$198.05—Paid to Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, June 12th, 1940. 3. Nil. 4. (a) H. A. Johnson and H. Hart, by the Province; (b) H. A. Johnson, Oct. 26th, 1938, H. Hart, Aug. 9th, 1939; (c) Both by Province. (Half Johnson's wages charged back to Pulpwood Supply Co.); (d) H. A. Johnson, \$3.00 per day, excluding Sundays; H. Hart, \$2.75 per day, including Sundays; (e) Johnson—full-time temporary employee; Hart—part-time temporary employee. (Hart is gauge reader and watchman during winter months, and during summer months does this work incidental to fire-ranging.)

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 7):—

1. What is the acreage of land acquired in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 2. For each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, what amounts were expended by the Government on ordinary account in relation to the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 3. Of the amounts mentioned in (2) what amounts in each period mentioned were in relation to farm operation. 4. Who are the employees at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, specifying: (a) Name; (b) Title and duties; (c) Rates of remuneration.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 300 acres.

2. (a) Ordinary accounts for fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939—	
Farm Expenses.....	\$1,278.55
Salaries.....	150.00
	—————\$1,428.55
(b) Ordinary accounts for fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940—	
Supplies and Repairs.....	\$5,660.49
Salaries.....	162.50
	—————\$5,822.99
(c) Ordinary accounts April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941—	
Supplies and Repairs.....	\$2,979.72
Salaries.....	1,165.14
Public Works Expenditure.....	275.73
	—————\$4,420.69

3. Total amounts for each fiscal year were charged to farm operation, except \$275.73 spent by Public Works Department.

4. Charles E. McLean, Farm Hand, Group 2, duties—Farm Hand and Watchman—\$900. Joseph B. Strangways, Farm Hand, Group 2, duties—Farm Hand and Watchman—\$825.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 15):—

1. What was the total amount spent up to December 31st, 1940, on the Ogoki Diversion project by: (a) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. What is the estimated cost of finishing the project. 3. What contractors were employed on the work and what amount was paid to each and by whom. 4. Was any of the work done by day labour; if so what amount was spent in this connection and by whom. 5. Is any work being done on the project at the present time and if so, give particulars. 6. Does any benefit enure to the Province by reason of the work done to date, and, if so, give particulars.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) \$167,912.49; (b) Nil. 2. \$5,072,373.49. 3. Crawley & McCracken Co., Ltd. (boarding camps), \$11,640.80 by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. Starrat Airways & Transportation Co., Ltd. (freight transportation). No payments made up to December 31st, 1940. 4. All construction done by day labour. \$9,348.90 paid by Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. 5. Work is proceeding on transportation of materials and equipment and the erection of camps. 6. The Province benefits by the use of an additional 5,000 c.f.s. of water at Niagara, from which the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario generates additional power, and for which the Province of Ontario receives increased water rentals.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 16):—

1. What amounts have been paid (1) by private companies, (2) Hydro-Electric Power Companies to the Government of Ontario in the form of water rentals for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 1936.....	\$273,974.82
1937.....	237,753.57
1938.....	256,762.11
1939.....	249,656.54
1940.....	240,116.46
2. 1936.....	\$119,044.58
1937.....	139,659.23
1938.....	171,111.39
1939.....	156,362.63
1940.....	162,412.98

In addition to the above, the following amounts for rentals covering the

Queenston Power Plant, Electrical Development Plant and the Ontario Power Co. were paid to the Niagara Falls Park Commission:

1936.....	\$461,708.12
1937.....	459,744.45
1938.....	419,576.82
1939.....	427,196.54
1940.....	456,610.02

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 17):—

1. What total amounts have been paid in the form of or in lieu of taxes by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for plants, etc., on the Niagara River to any Municipality for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

CHIPPAWA VILLAGE TAXES—

1936.....	\$ 863.99
1937.....	842.12
1938.....	858.59
1939.....	858.43
1940.....	824.48
	—————\$ 4,247.61

GRANTHAM TOWNSHIP TAXES—

1936 Ordinary Taxes.....	\$4,497.84
1936 School Taxes.....	3,209.66
Adjustment of School Taxes for Years 1933 to 1935 inclusive paid during year 1936.....	7,825.28
	—————\$15,532.78
1937.....	14,101.88
1938.....	14,000.00
1939.....	14,162.04
1940.....	14,086.12
	—————\$ 71,882.82

CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS TAXES—

1936.....	\$50,000.00
1937.....	78,070.35
1938.....	77,779.67
1939.....	77,653.11
1940.....	77,545.95
	—————\$361,049.08

NIAGARA TOWNSHIP TAXES—

1936.....	\$ 402.50
1937.....	414.43
1938.....	372.78
1939.....	355.32
1940.....	338.46
	—————\$ 1,883.49

STAMFORD TOWNSHIP TAXES—

1936.....	\$45,000.00
1937.....	75,000.00
1938.....	75,000.00
1939.....	75,000.00
1940.....	75,000.00
	—————\$345,000.00

WILLOUGHBY TOWNSHIP TAXES—

1936.....	\$ 5.15
1937.....	5.04
1938.....	5.04
1939.....	5.06
1940.....	4.74
	—————\$ 25.03

Taxes paid by H.E.P.C. to Municipalities on Niagara River,
1936 to 1940 inclusive.....\$784,088.03

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 18):—

1. What system or systems secured power from the Chat Falls Plant during the Hydro year 1939-40, and what was the 20-minute peak in horse-power per month in each case. 2. What system or systems were charged for the carrying charges of the frequency changer at the Chats Falls plant and what was the yearly charge and how allocated.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Niagara 25 cycle system and Eastern Ontario System.

20-MINUTE PEAKS DELIVERED

	Niagara 25 cycle System	Eastern Ontario System
November, 1939.....	227,882 H.P.	28,820 H.P.
December.....	227,212 “	28,485 “
January, 1940.....	227,882 “	28,485 “
February.....	218,498 “	0 “
March.....	190,348 “	0 “
April.....	221,180 “	0 “
May.....	219,840 “	26,469 “
June.....	184,986 “	0 “
July.....	193,029 “	27,480 “
August.....	197,050 “	0 “
September.....	195,710 “	13,619 “
October.....	219,840 “	8,311 “

2. Niagara System. These carrying charges were allocated against all power users in the Niagara System in proportion to the horse-power load sold to each during the first 10 months of the year. From September 1st due to a change in conditions under which power was delivered the rate was changed whereby the

Eastern Ontario system was charged \$35,000 per year; this figure representing half the estimated fixed and operating charges of the frequency changer set. This charge for the months of September and October, 1940, amounted to \$5,833.34.

Total Charges Fiscal Year 1939-40—\$70,763.88.

Niagara System share—\$64,930.54.

Eastern Ontario share—\$5,833.34.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 19):—

What is the total amount paid by Ontario Rural Hydro users under the 8% Dominion War Tax for the Hydro year 1939-40.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

\$331,001.65.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 20):—

Have any new contracts or extension of previous contracts or agreement or understanding been made with any Quebec Power Company since May, 1937, in reference to supply of Electric Energy. If any, give names of Companies and particulars as to (a) Amount of energy; (b) Load Factor; (c) Date; (d) Price; (e) Point of delivery; (f) Voltage.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

Four contracts, each dated 14th December, 1937, were validated by Ontario Statute of 1938, Chapter 27, where they are printed in full as schedules of the Act. They are with the following companies:

1. 60-cycle—Gatineau Power Company,
2. 25-cycle—Gatineau Power Company,
3. Beauharnois Light, Heat and Power Company,
4. Maclaren-Quebec Power Company.

In addition, in accordance with the said 1937 contract with Maclaren-Quebec Power Company, the Commission advanced to 1st July, 1940, the increase of 20,000 horse-power due 1st November, 1940, making the contract demand 80,000 horse-power.

Also, an understanding has been reached for advancing to 1st November, 1941, the next block of 20,000 horse-power due on 1st November, 1944.

Further, an understanding has been reached with the said company for increase of the maximum under the 1937 contract from 100,000 horse-power to

125,000 horse-power at the same price and load factor, namely, \$12.50 per horse-power per year and 70 per cent load factor.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 40):—

1. What was the total revenue from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro year 1939-1940. 2. What were: (a) Operating expenses; (b) Maintenance cost; (c) Interest charges; (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the total accumulated reserves to October 31st, 1940: (a) Sinking Fund; (b) Depreciation; (c) Contingencies and rate stabilization; (d) Any other reserves. 4. What was the capital cost in the years 1939-1940.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:

1. \$3,643,758.33. 2. (a) \$314,179.77; (b) \$168,724.81; (c) \$1,029,262.31; (d) \$1,233,955.37. 3. (a) \$3,823,635.52; (b) \$1,707,393.11; (c) \$537,328.70; (d) Nil. 4. Capital cost at October 31st, 1939—\$28,748.18 (Expenditures for year—\$749,944.01); Capital cost at October 31st, 1940—\$28,932,701.49 (Expenditures for year—\$184,434.31).

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 47):—

1. Which Ontario Hospitals are equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 2. Which Ontario Hospitals are not equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 3. What steps, if any, have been taken to implement the recommendation on Page 63 of the Dr. Sam Hamilton report that moving pictures with sound should be provided for every institution (1937 Session, Sessional Paper No. 53).

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. Woodstock, Orillia, New Toronto, Brockville, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, Cobourg, Penetanguishene, London. 2. Fort William, Langstaff, Whitby. 3. Sound projectors have been purchased for the Ontario Hospitals at Kingston, Brockville, New Toronto, Woodstock and Orillia.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 48):—

1. What has been the total amount expended by the Province to date by way of capital expenditure on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas. 2. What amounts, if any, are due to or claimed by, contractors or others as holdbacks, amounts in dispute or otherwise with respect to capital costs at the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, giving details.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:

1. \$6,199,827.35. 2. All contracts completed and final payments made.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 49):—

1. Have any buildings other than the Administration Building been constructed in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur; if so, give particulars. 2. What amount has been spent to December 31st, 1940, on the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur on: (a) Capital account including land purchases, construction, etc.; (b) Ordinary account, including maintenance, salaries and wages of staff, heating, etc. 3. Are any amounts due to or claimed by contractors or others with respect to construction costs or other capital items and, if so, give particulars. 4. What staff is employed at the Port Arthur Hospital giving names, salary or wage rates and date employed. 5. Is any use being made of the administration building and, if so, specify. 6. Have any proposals been made as to using the administration building for other than mental hospital purposes, and, if so, give particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

1. No. 2. (a) \$224,675.24; (b) \$48.15. 3. No. 4. None. 5. Leased to Department of National Defence for duration of the war and six months thereafter. 6. Answered by No. 5.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 54):—

1. Since April 1st, 1937, what solicitors have been appointed to the Inside Service, stating: (a) Name of Solicitor; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Initial salary; (d) Present salary; (e) Department to which attached. 2. Was the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioner issued with respect to each appointment, and, if not, specify. 3. Was the minimum salary exceeded in any case according to the Classification of the Civil Service and if so, specify, giving reasons.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1.—

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)
Flahiff, Terrence F.	Oct. 11, 1938	\$50 per month	\$2,400.00	Attorney-General
Gallagher, Mary H.	Sept. 23, 1940	\$1,500.00	\$2,080.00	Attorney-General
Henry, Edwin M.	Nov. 16, 1937	\$1,500.00	\$1,800.00	Attorney-General
Hope, Clarence P.	Jan. 1, 1938	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	Attorney-General
Martin, Walter M.	May 16, 1938	\$3,000.00	\$4,000.00	Attorney-General
Moffat, Keith P.	June 1, 1940	\$125.00 month	\$125.00 month	Attorney-General
Sharp, Roy C.	July 11, 1939	\$125.00 month	\$166.66 month	Attorney-General
Egener, Fred T.	June, 1937	\$75.00 month	\$150.00 month	Health
Metzler, James B.	Jan. 3, 1939	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	Lands and Forests
Van Every, Alan	May 10, 1937	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	Municipal Affairs
Ellis, Arthur	Nov. 1, 1940	\$125.00 month	\$125.00 month	Treasury
Little, Vernon H.	Aug. 3, 1937	\$1,500.00	\$1,600.00	Treasury (Resigned Aug. 8th, 1939)
Lewis, Roderick G.	Sept. 6, 1939	\$125.00 month	\$125.00 month	Treasury
Perrett, John F.	July 7, 1938	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	Treasury (Enlisted Sept. 3rd, 1940)
Rich, Byron W.	July 8, 1938	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	Treasury
Stewart, William E.	May 10, 1937	\$200.00 month	\$2,400.00	Treasury (Dismissed March 15th, 1939)

2. Yes. 3. No.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 59):—

What was the total payment made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month for the years 1938-39.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

25 CYCLE POWER PURCHASED DURING THE FISCAL YEARS 1938-1939:

	Beauharnois	Gatineau	MacLaren- Quebec	Ottawa Valley	Total
November, 1937.....		\$ 186,020.83	\$ 41,666.67	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 327,687.50
December, 1937.....	\$ 75,604.84	208,416.67	41,666.67	100,000.00	425,688.18
January, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.67	98,774.57	479,066.24
February, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.66	97,951.06	478,242.72
March, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.66	99,243.74	479,535.40
April, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.66	94,426.64	474,718.30
May, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.66	93,166.23	473,457.89
June, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.67	100,000.00	480,291.67
July, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.67	93,611.85	473,903.52
August, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.67	84,874.57	465,166.24
September, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.67	41,666.67	81,903.67	462,195.34
October, 1938.....	130,208.33	208,416.63	41,666.67	88,988.07	469,279.70
	<u>\$1,377,688.14</u>	<u>\$2,478,604.16</u>	<u>\$500,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,132,940.40</u>	<u>\$5,489,232.70</u>

November, 1938.....	\$ 156,250.00	\$ 239,770.83	\$ 62,500.00	\$ 84,364.92	\$ 542,885.75
December, 1938.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	79,951.51	538,472.34
January, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	69,572.55	528,093.38
February, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	75,025.08	533,545.91
March, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	79,630.83	538,151.66
April, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	90,067.08	548,587.91
May, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	94,101.94	552,622.77
June, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	98,495.16	557,015.99
July, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	100,000.00	558,520.83
August, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	96,807.47	555,328.30
September, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	78,921.81	537,442.64
October, 1939.....	156,250.00	239,770.83	62,500.00	77,215.53	535,736.36
	<u>\$1,875,000.00</u>	<u>\$2,877,249.96</u>	<u>\$750,000.00</u>	<u>\$1,024,153.88</u>	<u>\$6,526,403.84</u>

60 CYCLE POWER PURCHASED DURING THE FISCAL YEARS 1938-1939:

	Gatineau Company (For City of Ottawa)	Gatineau Company (For System Use)	Gatineau Company (For Maxville R.P.D.)	Total
November, 1937.....	\$ 18,301.25	\$ 52,562.50	.....	\$ 70,863.75
December, 1937.....	17,964.83	52,562.50	.....	70,527.33
January, 1938.....	18,084.92	52,562.50	.....	70,647.42
February, 1938.....	17,619.25	52,562.50	.....	70,181.75
March, 1938.....	17,744.83	52,562.50	.....	70,307.33
April, 1938.....	17,832.83	52,562.50	.....	70,395.33
May, 1938.....	18,192.17	52,562.50	.....	70,754.67
June, 1938.....	17,930.00	52,562.50	.....	70,492.50
July, 1938.....	16,504.58	52,562.50	.....	69,067.08
August, 1938.....	17,149.00	52,572.50	.....	69,711.50
September, 1938.....	18,283.83	52,562.50	.....	70,846.33
October, 1938.....	17,967.58	62,500.00	\$583.33	81,050.91
	<u>\$213,575.07</u>	<u>\$640,687.50</u>	<u>\$583.33</u>	<u>\$854,845.90</u>

60 CYCLE POWER PURCHASED DURING THE FISCAL YEARS 1938-1939:

	Gatineau Company (For City of Ottawa)	Gatineau Company (For System Use)	Gatineau Company (For Maxville R.P.D.)	Total
November, 1938.....	\$ 18,094.08	\$ 62,500.00	\$ 583.33	\$ 81,177.41
December, 1938.....	18,155.50	62,500.00	583.33	81,238.83
January, 1939.....	18,279.25	62,500.00	583.33	81,362.58
February, 1939.....	17,827.33	62,500.00	583.33	80,910.66
March, 1939.....	17,712.75	62,500.00	583.33	80,796.08
April, 1939.....	18,179.33	62,500.00	583.33	81,262.66
May, 1939.....	18,218.75	62,500.00	583.33	81,302.08
June, 1939.....	18,182.08	62,500.00	583.34	81,265.42
July, 1939.....	16,819.92	62,500.00	583.34	79,903.26
August, 1939.....	17,308.50	62,500.00	583.34	80,391.84
September, 1939.....	18,106.00	62,500.00	583.34	81,189.34
October, 1939.....	18,099.58	62,500.00	607.50	81,207.08
	<u>\$214,983.07</u>	<u>\$750,000.00</u>	<u>\$7,024.17</u>	<u>\$972,007.24</u>

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 67):—

1. Is Dr. Sophie Bookhalter employed in the Department of Health for Ontario. 2. If so, where is Dr. Bookhalter employed, what was the date of her appointment, what is the nature of her duties and what is her official title and salary. 3. Who aside from members of the Government and officials of the Government recommended Dr. Bookhalter's appointment. 4. Was Dr. Bookhalter a resident of Ontario when appointed and if not, where was she residing. 5. What special qualifications, if any, has Dr. Bookhalter in relation to her work.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, date of appointment May 1st, 1940, physician in the Epileptic Division of the Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, Medical Interne \$200.00 per month less perquisites. 3. Dr. Helen Boyle, Lady Chichester Hospital, Hove, Sussex, England, and Dr. Stafford Lewis, St. Bernard's Hospital, Southall, England. 4. No. 348 Manitoba Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba. 5. Post-graduate training in the following hospitals: September, 1936, to April, 1937, House Physician at Lady Chichester Hospital for Early Nervous Disorders, Hove, Sussex, England; May 1st, 1937, to August 31st, 1937, House Physician at St. Andrews Hospital, London; September, 1937, to September, 1938, Assistant Medical Officer, Beverley Road Hospital, Hull, England; October 1st, 1938, to April 30th, 1939, Clinical Assistant, Maudsley Hospital, London, England; Diploma of Psychological Medicine, London University, November, 1939.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 45):—

1. What amounts have been paid by the Government or by any Board or Commission of the Government to Armand Racine, K.C., specifying: (a) Date of each payment; (b) Amount of each payment; (c) Nature of services rendered; (d) Total amount paid. 2. What amounts are due to or claimed by Armand Racine to date.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a), (b), (c) and (d)—In 1934 Mr. Racine received \$6,400 for services and expenses as Commissioner enquiring into the operation of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, and \$650 for services and expenses as Commissioner investigating the operations of the Niagara Parks Commission. As a member of the T. & N.O. Commission from October 21st, 1934, to May 8th, 1935, he received \$1,487.71 salary, and \$390 expenses. 1. Since the above-named payments, Mr. Racine has performed no further services for the Government, its boards or commissions, except as Public Trustee, and no further amounts are due or claimed. He was appointed Public Trustee on October 2nd, 1940, at a salary of \$7,000 per annum.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on the motion of Mr. Duckworth,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.15 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Friday next—An Act respecting the Orderly Payment of Debts; also, An Act to amend The Division Courts Act.

Mr. Brownridge—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Railway Act.

Mr. Strachan—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Macaulay—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Mr. Drew—On Friday next—Resolution—THAT the members of this Legislature approve of the principle that every public building actually needed for the effective prosecution of our war effort should be made available whenever required but they believe there is no justification for taking over the buildings of the Ontario Agriculture College, for use as a wireless training school, and that better and quicker results will be obtained by erecting wooden buildings for that purpose.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), March 6th at 10.30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday, the 10th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 3), intituled, "An Act respecting the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London."

Bill (No. 4), intituled, "An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall."

Bill (No. 5), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Orillia."

Bill (No. 6), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur."

Bill (No. 15), intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children."

Bill (No. 8), intituled, "An Act respecting the Village of Swansea."

Bill (No. 19), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Windsor."

No. 10

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petitions were read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the Town of Timmins, praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Town of Timmins to collect poll tax for residents of the Town from employers of such men who are employed outside the Town limits.

Of the Corporation of the County of Waterloo, praying that an Act may pass to validate an agreement made by the Petitioner with the Corporation of the City of Galt and the Corporation of the City of Kitchener.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 5):—

1. What decorative or commemorative features were built by the Department of Highways in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Way near Fort Erie.
2. Of what do these features essentially consist. 3. Who designed them and what was he paid for his work. 4. What was the contract price. 5. Who was the contractor. 6. What was the contractor paid: (a) Under the terms of his contract; (b) For extras or extensions.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. None. 2. See answer to 1. 3. See answer to 1. 4. See answer to 1.
5. See answer to 1. 6. See answer to 1.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 6):—

1. For how many miles on the Kingston Road east of Toronto have posts equipped with reflectors been installed. 2. What was the cost of this equipment, including the installation. 3. On what other highways and to what extent has this equipment been installed. 4. Who made the respective installations and what was each contractor paid with respect to each installation. 5. What is the average cost, per post, of each installation, including the reflectors.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. 3.9. 2. \$800.00. 3. Queen Elizabeth Way from Oakville Bridge to Campbell's Corners, 11 miles; Highway No. 2 at Long Branch, 1 mile; Old Queen Street, 3 miles; Highway No. 8, between Galt and Preston, 1 mile; and for short distances on other highways throughout the Province at bad curves, approaches to narrow bridges, steep hills, etc. 4. All installations made by Department labour forces. 5. 3, 1½" button type, on one side of post only, \$2.75; 3, 1½" button type, on two sides of post, \$3.80; 2, 3" button type, on one side of post only, \$4.25; 2, 3" button type, on two sides of post, \$6.50.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox) asked the following Question (No. 8):—

1. How many motor cars have been purchased by the Government to be used in Highway patrol work in place of motorcycles. 2. With respect to each car purchased state: (a) Name of manufacturer; (b) From whom purchased; (c) Price of each vehicle. 3. Were competitive tenders secured and if not, why not. 4. How many such cars is it estimated will be in use by: (a) December 31st, 1941; (b) December 31st, 1942. 5. How many such cars will be required to entirely replace the motor cycles now used. 6. What is the estimated annual cost of operating each car, stating: (a) Estimated cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, tire replacements and other charges other than depreciation; (b) Write off for depreciation. 7. What is the annual average cost to the Government in relation to the operation of a motor cycle in Highway patrol work.

Attorney-General

The Honourable the ~~Minister of Highways~~ replied as follows:—

1. Forty-six (46). 2. (a) The General Motors of Canada, Limited; (b) The General Motors of Canada, Limited; (c) Five (5) motor cars at \$770.00 each. Four (4) coupes and one (1) coach were purchased as follows: Four (4) coupes for \$677.40 and trade-in of eight used motorcycles owned by Government; One (1) coach purchased for \$355.60 with trade-in of 1938 model Chevrolet coach. Thirty-six (36) motor cars at \$716.00 each. 3. (i) Competitive tenders for the first five motor cars were not secured. The model and specifications were not then settled and it was impracticable to secure tenders because of uncertainty in the specifications and the changes made from time to time; (ii) Competitive tenders were secured for the four coupes and the lowest tender was accepted; (iii) Competitive tenders were not secured for the coupe as this was a trade-in in the ordinary course, the car traded in having travelled 58,000 miles; (iv) Competitive tenders were secured for the thirty-six (36) motor cars and the lowest

tender was accepted. 4. (a) Forty-six (46); (b) Eighty-two (82). 5. One hundred and sixteen (116). 6. (a) \$540.00 per car per annum; (b) \$150.00 per car per annum. 7. Motor cars—\$690.00 per car per annum. Motorcycles—\$550.00 per motorcycle per annum.

Mr. Dunbar asked the following Question (No. 9):—

1. What was the indebtedness of the Niagara Parks Commission as of March 31st, 1940, and December 31st, 1940, indicating: (a) Funded debt, provincially guaranteed; (b) Unfunded debt, provincially guaranteed; (c) Funded debt, not provincially guaranteed; (d) Unfunded debt, not provincially guaranteed.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

	March 31st, 1940	Dec. 31st, 1940
(a) Funded debt, provincially guaranteed	\$3,667,367.70	\$4,039,394.65
(b) Unfunded debt, provincially guaranteed	Nil	Nil
(c) Funded debt, not provincially guaranteed	Nil	Nil
(d) Unfunded debt, not provincially guaranteed	166,080.57	25,719.25
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	\$3,833,448.27	\$4,065,113.90
Less cash on hand and in bank	16,626.79	266,315.51
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	\$3,816,821.48	\$3,798,798.39
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Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 13):—

1. What amount was spent by the Government to February 15th, 1941, with respect to Air Raid Precautions: (a) As to materials purchased giving particulars as to kinds and quantities purchased, name of each vendor and amount paid to each vendor; (b) As to all other expenditures. 2. What Air Raid Precautions material is now on hand stating: (a) Points at which stored; (b) Kinds and quantities of material stores at each point. 3. What official is in general charge of Air Raid Precautions for the Province and generally, what have been his activities in the matter.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) Nil. All materials have been supplied by the Department of National Defence; (b) Nil. All expenditures to date (\$1,035.34) have been covered by grant from the Dominion Government. 2 (a) and (b). It is not deemed in the public interest to disclose this information. 3. The Ontario Civilian Defence Committee is in general charge of Air Raid Precautions in the Province. The Executive Committee is as follows: Chairman, G. D. Conant; Vice-Chairman, H. S. McCready; Secretary, H. D. McNairn; Controller of Police Services, H. S. McCready; Controller of Fire Services, W. J. Scott; Controller of Medical Services, Dr. B. T. McGhie; Controller of Public Utility Services, R. A. Mc-

Allister; Controller of Transportation, R. M. Smith. The activities of the Ontario Civilian Defence Committee have been and are being directed at: (a) The creation of volunteer civilian organizations in the municipalities designated by the Department of National Defence for the protection of life and property in the event of any emergency occasioned by the war; (b) Co-operation with and assistance to such municipalities in the formation, organization, instruction and training of local units; (c) The co-ordination in conjunction with the Federal authorities of the organization and work of all C. D. C. units in Ontario.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 52):—

1. On January 31st, 1941, how many patients at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were: (a) In residence; (b) Boarded out; (c) On probation. 2. On January 31st, 1941, how many applications for admission to the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were on file, which could not be dealt with because of lack of room. 3. How many patients were discharged from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. How many of the discharged patients mentioned in (3) were placed in gainful occupations through the efforts of the Hospital organization. 5. What was the proper patient capacity of the Orillia Hospital according to the report of Dr. Sam Hamilton. 6. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 7. What was the sale value of the shoes mentioned in (6). 8. How many pairs of shoes were sold from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 9. What was the sales value of the shoes mentioned in (8). 10. Have any additional lands been purchased for use in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Orillia and, if so, state: (a) Description of lands acquired; (b) From whom acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel; (d) Date of purchase.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:

1. (a) 1980, (b) 10, (c) 106. 2. 1,558. 3. 80 were discharged during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and 69 were discharged during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. 88. 5. 1,500. 6. 4,050. 7. \$10,425.00. 8. 3,858. 9. \$9,945.00. 10. No.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 53):—

1. What buildings at the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton were destroyed by fire in or about the month of August, 1940. 2. At what hour was the fire discovered. 3. What was the size of each building destroyed, of what construction, for what ordinarily used and what stock ordinarily was housed therein. 4. What was the estimated value of each of the buildings destroyed. 5. What was the quantity and value of property destroyed other than buildings and including: (a) Live stock; (b) Hay, grain and feeds; (c) Implements and other farm equipment; (d) Other property, specifying. 6. At the time of the fire, what was the live stock at the Hospital, specifying: (a) Horses; (b) Cattle;

(c) Hogs; (d) Other stock. 7. What disposition has been made of this stock. 8. Have steps been taken to replace the buildings destroyed; if so, state: (a) Actual or estimated replacement costs; (b) Date when replacement will be effected. 9. Were buildings or property insured; if so state amount of insurance collected. 10. Is there any arrangement in existence whereby the Hamilton Fire Brigade will assist in protecting Hospital property; if so, when was it made and what are the terms thereof. 11. What fire brigades assisted in combatting the fire. 12. Was an ample water supply available for fire-fighting purposes; if not, why not. 13. Was an investigation made as to cause of, responsibility for and circumstances surrounding, the fire, and if so, by whom. 14. If investigation held, what were the findings as to cause, surrounding circumstances and responsibility. 15. If the dairy herd at the Hospital has been sold or placed elsewhere, state arrangements as to milk supply, indicating: (a) From whom secured; (b) Cost per gallon or hundred weight; (c) Average monthly cost.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. Cow Barn, Horse Barn and Overflow Barn, completely; Isolation Barn and Dairy Room, partly. 2. 9.30 a.m. August 28th, 1940. 3. Cow Barn—120' x 80', frame with stone foundation, stabling cattle and granary; Horse Barn—100' x 30', frame, stabling horses and granary; Overflow Barn—60' x 30', frame, stabling colts and calves and granary; Isolation Barn—20' x 32', frame with cement foundation, isolation of sick animals; Dairy Room—28' x 18', cement block, pasteurizing milk. 4. Cow Barn, \$7,600, Horse Barn, \$3,400, Overflow Barn, \$2,500, Isolation Barn, \$800, Dairy Room, \$600. 5. (a) None; (b) \$2,068.78; (c) \$425; (d) None. 6. (a) Horses, 26; (b) Cattle, 106; (c) Hogs, 325; (d) Poultry, 4,420. 7. Horses moved to another building, cattle moved to Hickory Farm with exception of 35 heifers moved to Brampton, Ontario Hospital. Other stock not moved. 8. No. 9. No. 10. Yes, verbal agreement of long standing—Hamilton Fire Brigade comes on telephone call. 11. City of Hamilton Fire Brigade and Ontario Hospital Fire Brigade. 12. Yes. 13. Yes, by an Inspector of the Fire Marshal's Department. 14. First report did not define cause or responsibility, later findings indicated that fire was started by a patient. 15. Dairy herd has not been sold or placed elsewhere.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 62):—

1. Who is the Deputy Fire Marshal of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary. 4. What are his specific qualifications for the position.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:

1. The position of Deputy Fire Marshal has been vacant since the promotion of William H. Stringer to the office of Commissioner of Police for Ontario. 2. Answered by 1. 3. Answered by 1. 4. Answered by 1.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 65):—

1. How many pupils are enrolled during the current school year at the Ontario School for the Blind at Brantford. 2. How many pupils have graduated therefrom in each of the school years 1930 to 1940, inclusive. 3. How many employees are there on: (a) The teaching staff; (b) The business office staff; (c) All other staffs. 4. Are any graduates of the School employed therein and if so, how many, indicating the number in the several categories. 5. Who is the Principal or Superintendent. 6. When was he appointed. 7. What was his initial salary and what is his present salary. 8. What are his academic qualifications; what are his special qualifications and where and how acquired. 9. What was the revenue from the School in 1938, 1939 and 1940 fiscal years from (a) Fees; (b) All other sources. 10. What was the gross cost of operation in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 11. What was the gross per capita per day in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 12. What is the amount of farm and garden land cultivated in conjunction with the School. 13. How many graduates in the school years ending in 1938, 1939 and 1940, respectively, were placed in gainful occupation with the assistance of the School organization.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:

1. 170. 2. 1930, 12; 1931, 13; 1932, 20; 1933, 12; 1934, 6; 1935, 4; 1936, 8; 1937, 10; 1938, 10; 1939, 17; 1940, 13. 3. (a) 15 full time, 4 part time; (b) 4. (c) 31. 4. 4—2 teachers of music, 1 supervisor of boys, 1 instructress in knitting. 5. Superintendent—H. J. Vallentyne. 6. January 1st, 1935. 7. \$5,000.00, \$5,000.00. 8. Bachelor of Arts, Queen's University, Master of Arts, University of Toronto, Principal, Port Perry Public School—1 year; Assistant Principal, Toronto Public Schools—7 years (also critic teacher for teachers-in-training); Principal, Toronto Public Schools—12 years; Public School Inspector, Toronto—5 years; Special Lecturer, Toronto Normal School—1 year; Summer School Lecturer, Mount Allison University, New Brunswick—1 term. 9. (a) 1938, \$12,900.00; 1939, \$11,733.33; 1940, \$14,233.33; (b) 1938, \$8,157.62; 1939, \$7,817.11; 1940, \$7,297.42. 10. 1938, \$87,921.33; 1939, \$90,234.35; 1940, \$90,828.89. 11. 1938, \$1.55; 1939, \$1.47; 1940, \$1.48. 12. 31 acres, more or less. 13. 1938—all; 1939—all; 1940—all, with the possible exception of two.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on the motion of Mr. Summerville,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Mr. Dewan—On Monday next—An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario.

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, and including the period from April 1st, 1940, to date, what amounts have been paid, and to whom, as Iron Ore Bounty. 2. In each case mentioned in (1), state the number of tons of ore on which bounty was paid and the mines from which such ore was produced.

Mr. Downer—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many tourist booklets were purchased in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939 and 1940, and during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. From whom were the books purchased. 3. What was the unit price in each case and what was the total amount paid the vendor in each case. 4. Who supplied the photographs and what was the total amount paid to each person supplying photographs in each of the periods mentioned in (1).

Mr. Downer—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What appointments have been made in the Criminal Investigation Branch of the Ontario Provincial Police since the present Government took office, stating: (a) Name of appointee; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Salary; (d) Official title; (e) Indicating whether by promotion or outside appointment.

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.

Mr. Acres—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Purchase Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

Mr. Acres—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In how many municipalities does the Liquor Control Board require that beverage rooms close earlier than twelve o'clock midnight, and state: (a) Name of each municipality in which earlier closing is required; (b) Closing hour in each case; (c) Date that earlier closing became effective in each case. 2. Have any municipal requests for earlier closing been refused by the Liquor Control Board and if so, give particulars.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who were the members of the Milk Control Board in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. During the same fiscal years, what was each member paid: (a) By way of salary, honorarium or other allowance; (b) By way of travelling and other expenses. 3. In each of the fiscal years mentioned in (1), how many legally constituted meetings of the Board have been held.

Mr. Arnott—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total expenditure in connection with the Royal Commission which investigated the affairs of the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph following the riots of 1937. 2. What amounts were paid and to whom and for what services.

Mr. Black—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, including Chairman and specifying date of appointment and salary in each case. 2. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 3. What persons have been appointed to the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, specifying date of appointment, address at date of appointment and commencing salary together with official title. 4. What officials or employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board have been dismissed or requested to resign since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request for resignation in each case.

Mr. Spencer—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since August 31st, 1934, what is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds bought in by the Government. 2. What is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds still outstanding, giving details as to the various issues.

Mr. Welsh—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, and state in each case name, position held, salary, and if not in receipt of salary, stating honorarium or perquisites allowed in lieu thereof. 2. How many physicians from the Ontario Hospital staffs were on January 31st, 1941, attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, for additional training or other purpose and give names and salaries. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, also giving title and rate of salary, honoraria or other emolument in each case. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, specifying: (a) Full-time employees; (b) Part-time employees and (c) Consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1941. 6. How many Psychiatric Hospital employees are engaged in the out-patient clinic. 7. How many patients were treated in the out-patient clinic at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the twelve months ended January 31st, 1941. 8. What was the average gross per capita cost and net per capita cost of maintaining a patient in the Psychiatric Hospital for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

Mr. Downer—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Grand River Conservation Commission as provided by Chapter 15, Statutes of Ontario, 2 George VI, 1938, and when was each appointed and by

whom. 2. Who are the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman and the Secretary-Treasurer of the Commission. 3. What are the names and addresses of the Board of Engineers and who is the Chairman. 4. What amount, if any, has been paid by the Government in connection with the Grand River conservation scheme. 5. What works have been completed to date under the Grand River conservation scheme, what remain to be completed and when is the scheme expected to be completed. 6. What is the estimated total cost of the scheme, what is the estimated share of the cost to each municipality which is a member and what is the estimated total cost to the Government.

Mr. Reynolds—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Why was the property known as “Camp Scholfield” located near Bowmanville offered for sale by the Government. 2. What tenders, if any, were received by the Government for purchase of the property, specifying name of each tenderer and price tendered. 3. Has the property been sold and if so to whom and for what amount. 4. In the deed of gift of the property from the late H. C. Scholfield to the Government, were any conditions attached as to the use to be made of the property and as to proceeds of sale should the property be sold and, if so, what were the conditions. 5. What present summer camp facilities are used for the inmates of the Boys’ School at Bowmanville.

Mr. Frost—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, memoranda, certificates and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official or employee of the Government in relation to one John Kluck who was a patient at the Ontario Hospital at Penetanguishene and who was arrested in the City of Toronto in the month of September, 1940, on a charge of murder.

No. 11

THURSDAY, MARCH 6TH, 1941

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TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 17), intituled, "An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph." *Mr. Drew.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 10), intituled, "An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited." *Mr. Kennedy.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 50), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act." *Mr. Macaulay.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox) asked the following Question (No. 27):—

1. For the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and 1940, what amount was paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers Marketing Board under the provisions of The Ontario Farm Products Control Act.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. Nil.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 29):—

1. Is the Agricultural Demonstration Farm at New Liskeard in operation.
2. What expenditures, specifying capital and ordinary, have been made with respect to the operation of this farm in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. Yes.

	Ordinary	Capital
2. 1936.....	\$12,252.92	.....
1937.....	10,670.22	.....
1938.....	11,993.16	.....
1939.....	12,909.99	.....

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 34):—

1. What payments were made to John Cowan, as Commissioner under The Succession Duty Act, in the matter of inquiry into the Spencer estate.
2. What other payments, if any, have been made to Mr. Cowan as fees, salary, honoraria, allowances or otherwise and for what services other than his remuneration as Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Lambton County, specifying dates of payments.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. \$1,600.00 paid May 5th, 1936, as Commissioner appointed under The Succession Duty Act to inquire into the Estates of William Spencer, Jane Spencer, Josephine McTaggart, Charles Norman Spencer, William Melville Spencer, Adelene A. Spencer and Caroline Bagley Spencer.
2. Nil.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 50):—

1. From January 1st, 1936, to December 31st, 1940, what special Crown Prosecutors have been appointed to assist at Assizes or other Courts, stating: (a) Name; (b) Legal matter or assize; (c) Per diem or other rate of remuneration; (d) Total amount paid each special prosecutor.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
Name	Legal Matter or Assize	Per Diem or other Rate of Remuneration	Total Amount Paid
J. C. McRuer, K.C.	Toronto Winter Assize, 1936	.....	\$1,301.70
D. Sher	Toronto Winter Assize, 1936	\$15 per diem	195.00
J. L. Wilson	Toronto Winter Assize, 1936	.....	300.00
G. N. Gordon, K.C.	Peterboro Spring Assizes, 1936	\$50 per diem	131.00
D. L. McCarthy, K.C.	London Spring Assize, 1936	\$150 per diem	1,367.40
P. V. Ibbetson	Port Arthur Spring Assize, 1936	\$50 per diem	97.00
F. W. Griffiths, K.C.	Toronto Spring Assize, 1936	\$50 per diem	904.45
M. Lerner	London Fall Assizes, 1937	\$50 per diem	160.90
H. H. Donald, K.C.	Cobourg Fall Assize, 1937	\$50 per diem	321.05
E. S. Livermore, K.C.	St. Thomas Fall Assize, 1937	\$50 per diem	197.00
C. P. Hope, K.C.	Napanee Fall Assize, 1937	\$50 per diem	530.82
J. C. Anderson	Barrie Fall Assizes, 1937	\$50 per diem	513.90
T. M. J. Galligan	Pembroke Fall Assize, 1937	\$50 per diem	506.00
C. P. Hope, K.C.	North Bay Fall Assize, 1937	\$50 per diem	339.20
E. S. Livermore, K.C.	Brantford Spring Assize, 1938	\$50 per diem	290.90
J. H. McDonald, K.C.	Cochrane Fall Assize, 1938	\$50 per diem	575.75
E. S. Livermore, K.C.	Welland Fall Assize, 1938	\$50 per diem	562.10
Salter Hayden, K.C.	Toronto Spring Assize, 1939	.....	550.66

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 55):—

1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Hon. T. B. McQuesten, K.C., Hamilton, Ontario; C. Ellison Kaumeyer, Chippawa, Ontario; Archie J. Haines, M.P.P., Jordan, Ontario; Ross Harstone, Hamilton, Ontario; Samuel M. Johnson, Lockport, New York; Ralph Hockstetter, Buffalo, New York; F. H. Krull, Niagara Falls, New York; Will Alban Cannon, Niagara Falls, New York. 2. The Commissioners receive no remuneration. This is clearly covered by Section 8 of Public Resolution No. 117, Seventy-fifth Congress, Chapter 490, Third Session, a Joint Resolution creating the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 61):—

1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:

1. July 15th, 1934, to October 11th, 1937.....	91
October 12th, 1937, to date.....	4
Total.....	95
2. Eighty-five (85).	

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 64):—

1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, what payments have been made to Cockfield, Brown and Co., Ltd.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1933-34.....	\$ 1,919.01
1934-35.....	17,997.88
1935-36.....	14,152.35
1936-37.....	23,922.91
1937-38.....	89,442.52
1938-39.....	17,035.65
1939-40.....	22,548.45
Total.....	\$187,018.77

The above sums represent the total cost of advertising, including preparation of material, etc., the agents retaining 15 per cent as their fee.

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

THAT the members of this Legislature approve of the principle that every public building actually needed for the effective prosecution of our war effort be made available whenever required but they believe there is no justification for taking over the buildings of the Ontario Agriculture College, for use as a wireless training school, and that better and quicker results will be obtained by erecting wooden buildings for that purpose.

And a debate having arisen, after some time, with the unanimous consent of the House, the Motion was withdrawn.

With the unanimous consent of the House Mr. Nixon (Brant) moved, seconded by Mr. Oliver,

That the Members of this Legislature approve of the policy of the Government as outlined in a telegram sent by the Premier of Ontario on September 5th, 1939, to the Right Honourable W. L. Mackenzie King,

Prime Minister of Canada, Ottawa, which reads in part: "This administration further offers every co-operation in releasing for use of the militia provincial buildings, lands, or any other asset that you might require, including our entire provincial air service. In regard to personnel am also offering now the use of our six tubercular clinics made up of skilled, trained and efficient doctors and technicians who can serve a very useful purpose in assisting with proper medical inspection of volunteers to Canadian army. The services of all departments of Government are available to you.

The Motion being put to the House was carried by unanimous vote.

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Tuesday next—The Hydro-Electric Railway Act, 1941; also, An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge.

Mr. Strachan—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Mr. Conant—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Habeas Corpus Act.

Mr. Bélanger—On Tuesday next—Amendment to the Motion for Second Reading of Bill (No. 12), "An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa,"—"That Section 1 be amended by deleting all the words after the figure '(2)' and substituting therefor the following words:

"The exemption from taxation provided by this section shall not apply to any part of the County of Carleton other than the City of Ottawa and the taxation of any real and personal property vested in the University and situate within the limits of the said County of Carleton other than the City of Ottawa shall be governed by The Assessment Act.' "

Mr. Kennedy—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have ceased to hold office, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of cessation of duties; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Indicating whether dismissed, requested to resign, resigning voluntarily, superannuated, deceased or as the case may be; (f) Reason for dismissals or requested resignations. 2. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have been appointed by the Government, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of appointment; (d) Rate of remuneration.

NOTICE

The following Standing Committees will meet at the times and places severally mentioned:

Standing Orders, in Committee No. 1, on Tuesday, March 11th, at 10.30 a.m.

Private Bills, in Committee Room No. 1, on Thursday, March 13th, at 10.30 a.m.

Agriculture, in Committee Room No. 2, on Thursday, March 13th, at 10.30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Wednesday, the 12th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 27), intituled, “An Act respecting St. George’s Church, Guelph.”

Bill (No. 10), intituled, “An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.”

No. 12

FRIDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1941

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 10TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On the motion of Mr. Strachan, seconded by Mr. Dickson,

Ordered, That owing to the present situation in Great Britain and notwithstanding the provisions of Rule No. 76 of this House, Bill (No. 18), "An Act respecting a Trust Settlement of the late Peter Birtwistle and the Corporation of the Borough of Colne (England)" be not referred to the Commissioners of Estates Bills but be referred direct to the Committee on Private Bills for consideration and a report thereon, and that the provisions of Rules No. 76 and No. 77 be suspended so far as they relate to the said Bill.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 51), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company." *Mr. Kennedy.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 52), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. Kennedy.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 53), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 54), intituled, "An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 55), intituled, "An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 56), intituled, "An Act to amend The Weed Control Act." *Mr. Kennedy.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Frost, seconded by Mr. Black,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, memoranda, certificates and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official or employee of the Government in relation to one John Kluck who was a patient at the Ontario Hospital at Penetanguishene and who was arrested in the City of Toronto in the month of September, 1940, on a charge of murder.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox) asked the following Question (No. 2):—

1. Other than King's Highways or other roads, what public buildings or other public works are under construction by the Government, stating in each case: (a) Name, location and purpose of each project; (b) Estimated total cost of each project; (c) Probable date of completion of each project.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

1. (a) Building being erected at Winston (formerly Swastika) for the purpose of a Division Office Building for the Department of Highways; (b) Estimated cost—\$10,000; (c) Date of completion—July 1st, 1941.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 24):—

1. What amount was spent by the Government in the erection of a comfort station at Port Burwell in the constituency of Elgin. 2. What municipal bodies

or officials, organizations or individuals requested the Government to install this convenience. 3. What was paid by the Government for: (a) Land; (b) Construction of buildings and furnishing and installing equipment. 4. From whom was the land purchased and what was the area. 5. To whom were contracts let for buildings, and for furnishing and installation of equipment and state amount paid to each. 6. Is a caretaker or other staff furnished by the Government to look after maintenance of the convenience, and if so, give particulars. 7. Is installation of this comfort station part of a general programme on the part of the Government to install such stations generally at summer resorts or elsewhere and if so, state at what points similar installations have been made.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

1. \$5,144.63. 2. The Council of the Township of Bayham and others.
3. (a) No land purchased; (b) \$5,144.63. 4. See 3 (a).

5. C. A. Walker—Construction of Building.....	\$3,648.60
Robert Rankin & Son—Plumbing.....	1,496.03
	<hr/> \$5,144.63 <hr/>

6. No. 7. The beach on which this station is located is one of the most desirable on Lake Erie and attracts a large number of tourists during the Summer months, being conveniently located to the King's Highway No. 19, and provision of these facilities was necessary for sanitary purposes. No similar convenience has been provided elsewhere, such provision being dependent on local conditions.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 30):—

1. How many seizures of furs have been made under the provisions of Game and Fisheries enactments and relative laws during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs sold and what was the amount realized from such sales in each of the periods. 3. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs returned to the parties from whom they were seized. 4. Where furs or pelts were seized in each of the periods mentioned in (1) state: (a) Number of prosecutions in each period; (b) Number of convictions registered in each period; (c) Number of fines imposed and total amount of fines imposed in each period; (d) Number and total amount of such fines paid in each period; (e) Number of prison terms imposed in each period; (f) Number of acquittals in each period.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

	1938-39	1939-40	April 1st to December 31st, 1940
1.	124	123	109
2.	120—\$14,179.23	123—\$4,539.60	68—\$17,766.23

3.	3	None	1
4. (a)	109	106	101
(b)	107 (2 remands)	105 (2 remands) (1 suspension)	100 (1 remand)
(c)	103—\$24,810.00	101—\$4,654.00	92—\$14,262.00
(d)	90—\$7,447.00	82—\$2,347.00	80—\$11,140.00
(e)	16	20	20
(f)	2	1	1

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 38):—

1. What were the peak loads and kilowatt hours purchased from each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month of the years 1938-1939. 2. What amount was paid for standby services, or secondary sundry power, during the above months.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:

1. PEAK LOADS IN HORSE-POWER AND KILOWATT-HOURS

TWENTY-MINUTE PEAKS IN HORSEPOWER

Month	Gatineau Power Co. 220,000 volt, 25 cycle Contract	MacLaren- Quebec Power Company	Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company	Ottawa Valley Power Company	GATINEAU POWER COMPANY— 60 CYCLE		
					110 Kv. Delivery	11 Kv. Delivery	Treadwell Delivery
January....	162,466	41,555	126,005	98,525	41,957	20,107	
February...	164,477	42,225	126,005	99,196	41,957	19,571	
March.....	164,477	42,225	127,346	103,217	41,957	19,839	
April.....	165,147	41,555	126,676	93,163	44,571	20,107	
May.....	166,488	42,225	127,346	98,535	41,957	20,107	
June.....	166,890	54,290	126,676	89,142	41,957	19,839	
July.....	161,796	44,906	126,676	87,131	41,957	18,499	
August.....	167,158	44,236	126,005	90,483	41,957	19,035	
September..	166,488	41,555	126,676	96,515	41,957	20,241	
October....	167,560	41,555	126,005	104,558	60,054	20,107	
November...	202,681	61,662	150,804	109,249	61,796	20,107	97
December..	203,083	65,684	151,475	111,930	64,075	20,107	129

1939

January....	203,753	69,705	150,804	103,887	63,003	20,375	105
February...	203,753	65,684	150,804	111,260	62,332	19,839	129
March.....	203,083	63,003	150,804	96,515	62,466	19,839	125
April.....	203,753	67,694	151,475	95,174	61,930	20,107	157
May.....	205,764	63,003	151,475	93,499	62,735	20,241	185
June.....	203,753	64,343	151,475	91,153	61,662	20,107	185
July.....	204,424	65,013	152,145	97,185	60,322	18,767	129
August.....	204,424	64,343	151,475	99,196	60,322	19,169	217
September..	205,362	65,013	152,145	108,579	60,054	20,375	225
October....	204,424	64,343	152,145	114,611	64,343	19,973	209
November...	266,086	63,673	152,145	113,941	65,013	20,107	209
December..	276,139	64,343	154,826	113,606	65,684	20,107	194

KILOWATT-HOURS

1938	Month	Gatineau Power Co. 220,000 volt, 25 cycle Contract	MacLaren- Quebec Power Company	Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company	Ottawa Valley Power Company	GATINEAU POWER COMPANY— 60 CYCLE		
						110 Kv. Delivery	11 Kv. Delivery	Treadwell Delivery
January . . .	58,601,300	14,831,000	48,750,000	30,603,550	15,809,600	6,053,400		
February . . .	54,682,300	14,030,000	45,330,000	28,146,800	14,719,500	5,365,800		
March	61,415,700	15,759,000	49,800,000	32,003,700	15,018,000	5,724,000		
April	57,956,900	14,880,000	46,350,000	27,935,950	15,717,100	5,389,200		
May	59,503,400	14,730,000	46,910,000	28,026,900	15,747,200	5,508,000		
June	59,937,300	15,195,000	48,630,000	25,112,800	15,960,500	4,980,600		
July	58,788,500	15,090,000	46,610,000	25,084,950	15,298,000	4,696,200		
August	62,449,000	15,718,000	51,150,000	26,376,950	16,472,000	4,847,400		
September . .	58,368,100	14,950,000	49,890,000	28,498,100	16,314,000	5,304,600		
October	59,988,380	14,674,000	48,150,000	31,565,350	22,564,870	5,461,200		
November . . .	75,903,800	22,745,000	60,990,000	28,629,050	22,778,000	5,547,600	16,800	
December . . .	77,485,400	22,847,000	59,380,000	26,982,450	23,483,000	6,055,200	21,300	
1939								
January	77,644,100	22,764,000	60,530,000	26,135,200	23,139,000	6,057,000	18,300	
February	70,283,600	21,115,000	56,340,000	24,466,500	21,033,000	5,385,600	25,800	
March	79,207,800	23,628,000	63,320,000	27,256,950	23,598,000	5,722,200	27,900	
April	73,769,400	21,616,000	58,410,000	29,958,200	22,128,900	5,432,400	30,900	
May	76,556,500	23,566,000	62,740,000	32,800,750	23,394,700	5,664,600	39,300	
June	76,471,200	22,792,000	70,820,000	30,786,300	22,954,000	5,072,400	31,200	
July	75,807,500	22,668,000	60,710,000	29,764,050	22,457,000	4,874,400	26,700	
August	79,840,400	23,188,000	62,670,000	30,146,200	23,584,000	4,865,400	47,400	
September . . .	75,329,600	22,696,000	60,230,000	25,540,900	22,616,000	5,344,200	41,400	
October	76,671,200	23,084,000	61,500,000	30,407,950	23,177,000	5,716,800	42,000	
November . . .	98,924,700	22,740,000	60,930,000	34,218,250	22,791,000	5,731,200	37,200	
December . . .	98,862,540	23,124,000	60,935,680	29,122,650	23,071,460	6,037,200	43,200	

2. No payments were made for standby services or secondary sundry power during the years 1938 and 1939.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 39):—

1. What was the total peak power taken each month in horse-power from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since December, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

TWENTY-MINUTE PEAKS IN HORSEPOWER

1940	Month	Gatineau Power Co. 220,000 volt, 25 cycle Contract	MacLaren- Quebec Power Company	Beauharnois Light, Heat & Power Company	Ottawa Valley Power Company	GATINEAU POWER COMPANY— 60 CYCLE		
						110 Kv. Delivery	11 Kv. Delivery	Treadwell Delivery
January	276,810	68,365	150,938	113,941	63,003	20,241	185	
February	277,480	65,013	151,609	109,249	63,003	19,973	181	
March	278,150	66,354	152,279	95,174	61,662	20,107	185	
April	274,799	61,662	151,475	110,590	68,364	20,375	173	
May	268,097	61,662	151,609	109,920	63,003	20,509	193	
June	266,086	64,343	152,279	92,493	63,673	19,169	181	
July	264,075	85,791	150,938	97,185	63,673	20,107	185	
August	265,416	87,131	151,609	98,525	64,343	20,107	201	
September . . .	265,416	94,504	150,804	97,855	63,003	20,107	209	
October	264,075	86,461	152,145	109,920	63,673	19,839	197	
November . . .	274,129	86,461	152,145	111,260	67,024	20,375	193	
December . . .	278,150	89,142	151,475	111,930	63,003	20,241	201	

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 41):—

1. What is the total amount of horse-power of electric energy being exported during 1939, 1940 to Massena, N.Y., by the, or through, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission: (a) From what Company or source is the energy secured by the Commission; (b) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the N.Y. interests to the Commission; (c) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the Commission to Company supplying the energy; (d) What is the Load Factor; (e) What price per horse-power does the Hydro-Electric Power Commission receive for this energy; (f) Is the price paid in United States or Canadian funds.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. The total horse-power exported during 1939-1940 to Massena, N.Y., by the, or through, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission was as follows:

	20-Min. Peak H.P.	Load Factor	
1939—December	23,000	90.0%	Delivery commenced December 29th, 1939
1940—January	23,000	90.0%	
February	23,000	90.0%	
March	23,000	90.0%	
April	23,000	90.0%	
May	23,000	90.0%	
June	26,680	90.0%	
July	26,680	90.0%	
August	43,418	86.3%	
September	45,550	88.5%	
October	44,414	89.9%	
November	43,875	91.6%	
December	45,114	91.8%	

(a) From December 29th, 1939, to August 3rd, 1940, the Commission secured the power for export to Massena from the Beauharnois Light, Heat and Power Company at 60 cycles in lieu of 25 cycle power to the Niagara system under the 25 cycle contract with this Company. After August 3rd, 1940, the export was secured from the surplus power available on the Niagara and Eastern Ontario systems; (b) International Boundary; (c) Company's plants; (d) Load Factor is given in table above; (e) \$14.50 per horsepower per year plus 2.47 mills per kilowatt-hour for energy in excess of 90 per cent load factor, plus payment of export tax on energy; (f) The price is paid in Canadian funds.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 44):—

1. Are the lands of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, constituted a Game Preserve; if so, when was such action taken. 2. Is any hunting or fishing allowed within the boundaries of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, detailing any prohibitions in effect under the Game and Fishery laws.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Yes, with modifications. By Order-in-Council May 1st, 1934: gazetted May 5th of same year. 2. Modifications permitting hunting and fishing are provided for by subsections (b) and (c) of Section 1 and section 2 of the Order-in-Council, and are:

- (b) provided, however, that officers of the Burwash Industrial Farm, designated by the Superintendent of the Institution, may hunt thereon in accordance with the provisions of The Game and Fisheries Act;
 - (c) From the aforementioned area, the Department of Game and Fisheries may, under permit, authorize their own officers or officers of the Burwash Industrial Farm to remove predatory animals or vermin; or take game birds or animals for educational or scientific purposes; or transfer any surplus stock of game when conditions warrant such action; and
2. provided, however, that Officers of the Burwash Industrial Farm, designated by the Superintendent of the Institution may fish therein, in accordance with the provisions of the Game and Fisheries Act and Regulations, and further, provided that this does not apply to the taking of fish under authority given by the Department of Game and Fisheries for propagation purposes or for the stocking of public waters.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 57):—

What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

EASTERN ONTARIO SYSTEM

TOTAL SYSTEM (PRIMARY AND SECONDARY) 20-MIN. PEAKS

1940—January.....	143,856	horse-power
November.....	151,250	"
December.....	153,164	"
1941—January.....	151,606	"

TOTAL SYSTEM PRIMARY 20-MIN. PEAKS

1940—January.....	137,556	horse-power
November.....	151,250	"
December.....	153,164	"
1941—January.....	151,606	"

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 58):—

What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

NIAGARA 25 AND 60 CYCLE SYSTEM

	Total Peak Power Sold (Generated and Purchased Peak)	Additional Quantities which Customers were entitled to under Contract
1939—January.....	1,412,064 horse-power	50,000 horse-power
November.....	1,485,925 “	35,000 “
December.....	1,514,879 “	30,000 “
1940—January.....	1,507,775 “	32,000 “
November.....	1,537,265 “	27,000 “
December.....	1,589,544 “	24,000 “

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 83):—

1. In how many municipalities does the Liquor Control Board require that beverage rooms close earlier than twelve o'clock midnight, and state: (a) Name of each municipality in which earlier closing is required; (b) Closing hour in each case; (c) Date that earlier closing became effective in each case. 2. Have any municipal requests for earlier closing been refused by the Liquor Control Board and if so, give particulars.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Thirty-eight (38) municipalities have prepared local by-law requiring the closing of beverage rooms earlier than twelve o'clock midnight, and the Board have approved of such by-laws.

(a)	(b)	(c)
Peterboro.....	Monday to Friday, Saturday	11 p.m. 10 p.m. Apr. 17th, 1937
Elora.....	Monday to Friday, Saturday,	12 p.m. 11 p.m. Apr. 24th, 1937
Westport.....	Monday to Saturday,	11 p.m. Apr. 24th, 1937
Blandford Twp.....	Monday to Saturday,	11 p.m. Apr. 27th, 1937
Walkerton.....	Monday to Saturday,	11 p.m. May 1st, 1937
Brant Twp.....	Monday to Saturday,	11 p.m. May 4th, 1937
Georgetown.....	Every week day at	11 p.m. May 7th, 1937
Brantford.....	Monday to Saturday,	11 p.m. May 10th, 1937
Listowel.....	Monday to Friday, Saturday,	11 p.m. 10 p.m. May 11th, 1937

(a)	(b)	(c)
Madoc.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	May 17th, 1937
Brockville.....	Monday to Saturday, 10 p.m.	May 20th, 1937
Plantagenet N. Twp.....	Monday to Friday, 11 p.m.	
	Saturday 12 p.m.	May 31st, 1937
Newcastle.....	Monday to Friday, 11 p.m.	
	Saturday, 10.30 p.m.	May 31st, 1937
Whitby.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	June 10th, 1937
Hastings.....	Monday to Friday, 11.30 p.m.	
	Saturday, 11 p.m.	June 11th, 1937
Trenton.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	July 1st, 1937
Finch Twp.....	Monday to Saturday, 10.45 p.m.	June 23rd, 1937
Thedford.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Aug. 24th, 1937
Paris.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Nov. 24th, 1937
Anson Twp.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Nov. 26th, 1937
Minden Twp.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Nov. 27th, 1937
Gananoque Town (Oct. to May only).....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Dec. 1st, 1937
Hearst Town.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Dec. 21st, 1937
Brussels Village.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Feb. 15th, 1938
Cobourg.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	May 6th, 1938
Mount Forest.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	May 11th, 1938
Tavistock.....	Monday to Saturday, 11.30 p.m.	June 20th, 1938
Oshawa.....	Cancelling May 26th, 1937	June 30th, 1938
Hanover.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Aug. 19th, 1938
Southampton.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Aug. 19th, 1938
Port Hope.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Sept. 30th, 1938
Erin.....	Saturday only, 11 p.m.	Oct. 21st, 1938
Delhi.....	Monday to Friday, 12 p.m.	
	Saturday, 11.30 p.m.	Jan. 18th, 1939
Sutton.....	Monday to Saturday, 11.30 p.m.	June 15th, 1940
Rosseau.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	July 16th, 1940
Parry Sound.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Aug. 12th, 1940
Bala.....	Monday to Saturday, 11 p.m.	Sept. 2nd, 1940
Douro Twp.....	Monday to Saturday, 10 p.m.	Feb. 25th, 1941

2. None.

Mr. Arnott asked the following Question (No. 85):—

1. What was the total expenditure in connection with the Royal Commission which investigated the affairs of the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph following the riots of 1937. 2. What amounts were paid and to whom and for what services.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Total Cost.....\$6,294.96

2. His Honour Judge J. Madden, Commissioner—	
Services.....	\$1,500.00
Expenses.....	162.60
	—————\$1,662.60
Mr. R. Bone—Legal Services.....	1,000.00
Mr. S. W. Brown—Reporting.....	1,917.65
Mr. J. G. Gillanders—	
Legal Services.....	\$1,500.00
Expenses.....	95.73
	—————1,595.73
Sundries.....	118.98
	—————\$6,294.96

The above information is listed on Page Q-8, Public Accounts 1937.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 88):—

1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, and state in each case name, position held, salary, and if not in receipt of salary, stating honorarium or perquisites allowed in lieu thereof. 2. How many physicians from the Ontario Hospital staffs were on January 31st, 1941, attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, for additional training or other purpose and give names and salaries. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, also giving title and rate of salary, honoraria or other emolument in each case. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, specifying: (a) Full-time employees; (b) Part-time employees and (c) Consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1941. 6. How many Psychiatric Hospital employees are engaged in the out-patient clinic. 7. How many patients were treated in the out-patient clinic at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the twelve months ended January 31st, 1941. 8. What was the average gross per capita cost and net per capita cost of maintaining a patient in the Psychiatric Hospital for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. (6) C. B. Farrar, Superintendent, \$5,000 per annum; J. G. Dewan, Assistant Physician, \$1,700 per annum; M. Jackson, Assistant Physician, \$3,000 per annum; E. P. Lewis, Director Out-patient Department, \$4,400 per annum; J. M. Meiners, Senior Undergraduate Medical Interne, \$300 plus 3 meals per day; A. Whiteside, Medical Interne, \$120 plus 3 meals per day. 2. (9) Dr. Keith M. McGregor, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. Florence Nichols, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. Ernest G. Goddard, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. W. Wm. S. Campbell, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. G. C. Ferrier, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. Roger M. Billings, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. Earl V. Metcalfe, Assistant Physician, \$2,400 per annum; Dr. Gordon H. Lugsdin, Assistant Physician,

\$2,400 per annum; Dr. Burdett H. McNeel, Assistant Physician, \$2,700 per annum. 3. G. Boyer, Consultant Neurologist and Instructor, \$10 per week; H. W. Johnston, Consultant in Gynaecology, \$10 per week; E. A. Linell, Consultant Neuropathologist, \$50 per month; W. H. Lowrey, Consultant and Instructor Ophthalmology, \$10 per week; K. G. McKenzie, Consultant in Neuro-Surgery, \$10 per week; C. Rae, Consultant Nose and Throat, \$10 per week; T. Owen, Part-time Medical Consultant, \$1,000 per annum. 4. (a) 65 full-time employees plus 4 Post-graduate student nurses (full time); (b) 3 part-time employees; (c) 6 Consultants. 5. (62). 6. (6). 7. 1,710. 8. Gross per capita cost, \$5.51; Net per capita cost, \$4.42.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Laws.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 45), An Act respecting Bailiffs.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Public Works for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 8.*)

Also, Report on the Distribution of the Sessional Statutes, 1940, from March 14th, 1940, to March 6th, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 30.*)

Also, Report of the Commission for the Investigation of Cancer Remedies for the year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 44.*)

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The House then adjourned at ~~3.40~~ p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Mr. Dewan—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act; also, An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act; also, An Act to amend The Northern Development Act.

Mr. Murphy—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. During the fiscal year 1941, what quantities of sand have been bought by the Government up to December 31st, 1940, in connection with paving and other works incidental to completion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Burlington and Niagara Falls, specifying: (a) Quantity of sand purchased from each company, firm or individual; (b) Unit price with respect to each purchase and total amount paid to each company, firm or individual; (c) Indicating whether purchases were made by competitive tender; whether the lowest tender was accepted in each case and if not, giving complete list of tenders with reason why lowest tender was not accepted.

Mr. Dewan—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That this House will, on..... next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

Mr. Stewart—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.

NOTICE

The Select Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 11th, at 10.30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Saturday, the 15th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 9), intituled, "An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company."

Bill (No. 18), intituled, "An Act respecting a Trust Settlement of the late Peter Birtwistle and the Corporation of the Borough of Colne (England)."

No. 13

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented their Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully considered the following Petitions and finds the Notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the Corporation of the Township of Teck, praying that an Act may pass to permit the Township to assess the Temiskaming Telephone Company under Sections 12 and 13 of The Assessment Act, to control the type of buildings to be used for business purposes, and for other purposes.

Of the Corporation of the City of Sudbury, praying that an Act may pass validating a by-law of the Petitioners to impose a charge on certain citizens for the use of water from standpipes in the said City.

Your Committee recommends that Rule No. 63 of Your Honourable House be suspended in this that the time for introducing Private Bills be extended until and inclusive of Tuesday, the 18th day of March next.

Ordered, That the time for introducing Private Bills be extended until and inclusive of Tuesday, the 18th day of March next.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto." *Mr. Strachan*.

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 16), intituled, "An Act respecting the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto." *Mr. Strachan.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 20), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Teck." *Mr. Cooper.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 21), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Sudbury." *Mr. Cooper.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 57), intituled, "An Act to amend The Jurors Act." *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 58), intituled, "An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 22):—

1. How many hogs were lost in 1940 at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph as a result of hog cholera. 2. What was their value. 3. When was the outbreak of cholera detected and when was it brought under control.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. 239. 2. \$7,000. 3. First detected September 14th, 1940. Brought under control September 30th, 1940.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 26):—

1. What was the total expense to the Province of Ontario involved in delivery of the Clydesdale stallion, Craigie Realization, at the Ontario Agricultural College, including purchase price and all transportation and other charges relating to delivery of the animal. 1. When did the animal arrive at the Ontario Agricultural College. 3. When did he die. 4. Has the Government any information as to his progeny, and if so, what is the number thereof. 5. How many of his progeny are now owned by the Province and where are they located.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. \$3,082.00. 2. April, 1935. 3. June, 1940. 4. Twenty-seven foals. 5. Eight—at the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 63):—

1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. The insurance was carried with Lloyd's of London. Legal Liability, \$10,000 to \$20,000 limits; Property Damage, \$1,000 limit. Premium for the year January 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, \$750.56; Agent—Anglo-Canadian Underwriters, Limited, 80 Richmond St. W., Toronto; Sub-Agent—Tomenson, Saunders, Smith and Garfat, 12 Wellington St. East, Toronto. 3. 64 cars and 10 trucks.

Mr. Frost asked the following Question (No. 84):—

1. Who were the members of the Milk Control Board in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. During the same fiscal years, what was each member paid: (a) By way of salary, honorarium or other allowance; (b) By way of travelling and other expenses. 3. In each of the fiscal years mentioned in (1), how many legally constituted meetings of the Board have been held.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:

Members	Salaries	Honorariums	Travelling Expenses	Meetings
1938				
J. E. Houck, Chairman	\$4,500.00		\$ 61.73	
J. S. Beck, Member	3,737.50		92.11	
J. A. MacFeeters, Member		\$2,325.00	15.25	663
J. B. Nelson, Secretary	2,641.67		58.13	
1939				
J. E. Houck, Chairman (1 month)	350.00			
C. M. Meek, Chairman (10¾ months)	4,028.23		391.45	
J. S. Beck, Member	3,750.00		89.14	
J. A. MacFeeters, Member		360.00	6.35	1,049
E. Kitchen, Member		212.50		
J. B. Nelson, Secretary	2,650.00		163.79	

Members	Salaries	Honorariums	Travelling Expenses	Meetings
	1940			
C. M. Meek, Chairman	4,500.00		473.72	
J. S. Beck, Member	3,750.00		26.15	749
E. Kitchen, Member		1,300.00		
J. B. Nelson, Secretary	2,650.00		231.45	

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on the motion of Mr. Oliver,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Department of Health, Ontario, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 14.*)

Also, Report of the Minister of Public Welfare, Province of Ontario, for fiscal year 1939-1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 19.*)

Also, Report of the Ontario Athletic Commission for the period from April 1st, 1939, to March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 35.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.40 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Jurors Act; also, An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War.

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—Resolution—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are power users not given in their power contracts the exact voltage, to guide them in purchasing transformers, the Commission having in the contracts a clause “allowing for 10% more or less”—this leeway often causing great loss to power users. If such conditions exist, give reasons.

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is it the policy of the Ontario Hydro Power Commission to require of persons, desiring the use of hydro in Northern Ontario, to make large deposits of cash (refusing to accept bonding companies’ bonds) before the Commission will extend power service, while a competitive company in the same area does not demand cash guarantees. If so, why.

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the ministry any knowledge of cessation of mining activity in and about Kirkland Lake, and if so, what are the reasons.

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of lighting system is installed on the Kingston Road east of Toronto. 2. When was this system put into operation. 3. Since the system was put in operation what have been the maintenance costs in each fiscal year including current, replacement of bulbs, repairs and all other items.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what

portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are any Issuers of Automobile Licenses acting as Insurance Agents. 2. If so, give names and addresses.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of paving, if any, has been done on the new four-lane highway between Highland Creek and Oshawa. 2. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1), what mileage of paving remains to be done. 3. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1): (a) What mileage of grading has been completed; (b) What mileage of grading remains to be done.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet to-morrow (Wednesday), March 12th, in Committee Room No. 2, at 10.30 a.m.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday, the 17th day of March next.

Bill (No. 11), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Toronto."

Bill (No. 16), intituled, "An Act respecting the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto."

Bill (No. 20), intituled, "An Act respecting the Township of Teck."

Bill (No. 21), intituled, "An Act respecting the City of Sudbury."

No. 14

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On Motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will on Friday next resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House will on Friday next resolve itself into the Committee on Ways and Means.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 59), intituled, "An Act respecting British Child Guests." *Mr. Hipel*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 60), intituled, "An Act to amend The Northern Development Act." *Mr. Dewan*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 61), intituled, "An Act to amend The Railway Act." *Mr. Brown-ridge*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 62), intituled, "An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 63), intituled, "An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 25):—

1. What individuals or organizations recommended the founding of Ipperwash Park in the County of Lambton. 2. Who acted as valuator for the Government in the purchase of the land. 3. Aside from the purchase price of \$10,000 what amount has been spent on Ipperwash Park by way of: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 4. What improvements have been placed on the property by the Government. 5. What staff are employed at the Park, stating: (a) Name; (b) Date appointed; (c) Whether temporary, permanent or seasonal; (d) Salary or wage rates. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Park, when was he appointed and what is his salary. 7. What Department of the Government is concerned with administering the affairs of the Park.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. The late M. D. McVicar, M.L.A., Ross Gray, M.P., Wm. Guthrie, M.P.P. Petitions from over one thousand citizens representing forty-six different communities of Southwest Ontario and resolution dated March 5th, 1934, by the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Bosanquet renewing a previous resolution of the said Corporation dated October 3rd, 1932. 2. J. L. Morris, C.E., D.E. 3. (a) Capital, \$14,699.13; (b) Ordinary, \$7,938.87. 4. 1937-38—Improvement to roads including rock fill where creek cut through beach at west approach to bridge, rebuilt old bridge; Installed twenty picnic tables; Underbrushing and thinning northern portion of property now comprising picnic grounds and camping area; Construction of modern lavatory equipped with wash basins; Drainage northern area. 1938-39—Installed lighting system throughout Park; Buildings: Store with living quarters above, picnic pavilion, office with living quarters for caretaker; Tile drained central area; Graded camping area and leveled sand dune to east of camping area using fill in low areas to central section; Planted 30,000 trees in southwest corner of Park. 1939-40—Built garage and workshop; Complete water system with pump house to east of camping area and water mains running to all buildings and public water taps at convenient points installed; Roads improved, banks cut down; Filled in area west of west traffic road; Built retaining wall; Planted 4,500 large trees in sand dunes west of creek. 5. (a) Norman Moody; (b) 10th June, 1938; (c) Temporary; (d) \$2.50 per diem. 6. No permanent superintendent. Fred Malloy on temporary basis at \$4.00 per diem during tourist season. 7. Department of Lands and Forests.

Mr. Summerville asked the following Question (No. 37):—

Has the Hydro-Electric Power Commission purchased any power plants since 1937, and if so give particulars in each case as to: (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Kilowatt hour capacity in normal year and normal capacity; (d) Date of construction; (e) Location; (f) Date of purchase.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

* No power plants have been purchased since 1937.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 42):—

1. What is the estimated cost of the new development at Barrett Shute on the Madawaska River, exclusive of storage facilities. 2. What is the estimated cost of storage facilities. 3. What is the proposed installed horse-power of the plant. 4. What is the estimated maximum capacity of the plants at normal efficiency with spare equipment. State amount of latter. 5. What is the average annual horse-power capacity of plant in a normal year, utilizing the storage above named in (2). 6. What is the estimated annual load factor of plant utilizing the water available in a normal year in the most economical manner.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$5,304,000.00. 2. \$1,754,000.00. 3. 54,000 electrical horse-power. 4. 54,000 horse-power including spare equipment of 5,000 horse-power. 5. 32,500 horse-power. 6. 60%.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 43):—

What is the total horse-power exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States, giving names in each case with point of delivery, by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1939 and 1940; (a) Peak horse-power; (b) Kilowatt hours; (c) Price per horse-power.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

TOTAL POWER EXPORTED AT THE INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY

	(a)	(b)	(a)	(b)
	Peak	Kilowatt-	Peak	Kilowatt-
	Horse-power	hours	Horse-power	hours
	1939		1940	
January.....	170,375	74,836,270	181,367	53,408,211
February.....	170,375	68,475,200	166,488	51,558,577
March.....	166,890	71,412,600	164,611	58,789,203
April.....	208,713	60,293,500	219,571	78,902,448
May.....	225,871	75,736,731	222,788	96,773,503
June.....	234,316	76,749,486	225,335	96,541,158
July.....	223,190	72,456,800	226,005	107,801,611
August.....	224,263	87,335,700	247,453	101,960,918
September.....	220,241	72,453,700	261,930	98,945,380
October.....	204,290	57,171,600	199,598	76,377,960
November.....	157,775	63,732,600	237,131	95,025,880
December.....	183,440	54,201,222	253,217	106,211 817

NOTE:—In January, 1938, with the collapse of the Upper Steel Arch Bridge at Niagara Falls, the Canadian Niagara Power Company lost their export connections at this point, and to assist the company the Commission exported over its own transmission facilities and its own surplus export license a total of 84,363,800 Kilowatt-hours for the Canadian Niagara Power Company not included in the above tabulation.

Prior to December 29th, 1939, all export power went to the Niagara Hudson Power Corporation, or its subsidiaries. On December 29th, 1939, deliveries were commenced at Cornwall to the Cedars Rapids Transmission Company, Ltd., for export to the Aluminum Company of America at Massena, New York.

(c) For firm export of 45,000 kilowatts (60,322 horse-power), the price is \$12.50 (U.S. funds) per horse-power per year up to 40,000 kilowatts, and 2.5 mills (U.S. funds) per kilowatt-hour for all energy between 40,000 and 45,000 kilowatts. For surplus power exported at the Niagara River, exclusive of the power exported for the Canadian Niagara Power Company, the Commission received during 1939 and 1940 an average net value (gross revenue less export tax), equivalent in Canadian funds to 1.07 mills per kilowatt-hour. For export deliveries at Cornwall the price is \$14.50 (Canadian funds) per horse-power per year plus 2.47 mills (Canadian funds) per kilowatt-hour for energy in excess of 90 per cent load factor, plus payment of export tax on energy.

Mr. Welsh asked the following Question (No. 46):—

1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st,

1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. 327. 2. Male only. 3. (a) Installation of window guards and repairing electric pole line; repairs to heating equipment; (b) Lundy Fence Company, Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (c) Lundy Fence Company, \$1,761.00, Hydro-Electric Power Commission, \$106.31; (d) None. 4. The agreement with the City of Toronto provided for the Province to take over and use all the items of general equipment, furnishings, tools, etc., in use at the Farm and to return such goods or equal value at the termination of the agreement. (a) Grates, jacket for Gothic Heater, repairs to Gurney Water Heater, grates for boiler, chairs, lamps, tables, wardrobes, dressers, radio, rugs and curtains. (b) Boiler furnaces and stove parts, \$133.13; Robert Simpson Co., Ltd., \$59.65; T. Eaton Co., Ltd., \$305.65; Canadian General Electric Co., \$24.95; Gordon MacKay, Ltd., \$53.75. 5. Tenders invited for supplying and erection of window guards. Electrical work carried out by the Hydro Commission on the basis of their estimate. Items of furnishings and equipment were of a minor nature and were selected and purchased direct on this account. 6. Dr. T. D. Cumberland who is also superintendent of Ontario Hospital, New Toronto; annual salary for two positions, \$5,600 less perquisites; appointed July 1st, 1913. 7. Mr. K. M. Pack, appointed as Steward February 1st, 1940; \$1,800 per annum less perquisites; appointed to Department of Lands and Forests July 3rd, 1931, transferred to Department of Health, Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, as Clerk, March 1st, 1936, and transferred to Ontario Hospital, St. Thomas, as Clerk, May 1st, 1939. 8. 57.

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PERMANENT STAFF

Name	Position	Disposition	Present Salary
Basher, G. H.	Superintendent	Enlisted—and on leave.	
Armstrong, A.	Sergeant	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,900.00
Armstrong, K.	Guard	Salary paid to November 20th, 1939. Dispensed with services.	
Bennett, A.	Guard	Salary paid to November 20th, 1939. Dispensed with services.	
Bennett, R.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Reformatory, Mimico; later, enlisted—and on leave.	
Clarke, W. B.	Guard	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00

PERMANENT STAFF

Name	Position	Disposition	Present Salary
Cooper, R. S.	Clerk of Records	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,680.00
Creighton, E.	Guard	Transferred Industrial Farm, Burwash. Resigned December 31st, 1939.	
Cuttance, R.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	\$1,500.00
Glover, J. A.	Guard	Enlisted—and on leave.	
Harrison, F. W.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff. Resigned January 16th, 1940.	
Henry, J. P.	Guard	Enlisted—and on leave.	
Holmes, R.	Engineer	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	\$2,123.16
Hull, G.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	\$900.00
Jacobs, S. W.	Guard	Enlisted—and on leave.	
Johnston, J. W.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Reformatory, Mimico; later, enlisted—and on leave.	
Kidd, E. H.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff. Resigned May 4th, 1940.	
Leece, C. F.	Guard	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00
Maguire, R.	Guard	Retired on pension.	
Mathews, A. T.	Guard	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00
Mitchell, E. J.	Guard	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00
McComb, A.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Reformatory, Mimico. Services unsatisfactory— dismissed October 23rd, 1939.	
McComb, I.	Guard	Employed Toronto Gaol, May 3rd, 1940, to July 2nd, 1940. Appointed Tem- porary staff, Toronto Gaol, August 21st, 1940.	\$1,500.00
McLean, Dr. G. D.	Surgeon	Retired to private practice. Salary paid to November 20th, 1939.	
Quantz, E. P.	Farm Foreman	Retired on pension.	
Reid, J.	Night Sergeant	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,650.00
Sackfield, H.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	\$1,500.00
Suter, H.	Guard	Transferred Ontario Hospital, Langstaff	\$1,125.00
Tyndall, W.	Guard	Retired on pension.	
Woodhead, S. T.	Guard	Transferred Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00

TEMPORARY STAFF

Name	Position	Appointed	Disposition	Present Salary
Allan, A. L.	Temporary Guard	Sept. 12th, 1939	Salary paid to November 20th, 1939. Dispensed with services.	
Doyle, J. M.	Temporary Guard	May 8th, 1939	Salary paid to November 20th, 1939. Dispensed with services.	
Foreman, D. J.	Temporary Guard	Nov. 5th, 1936	Transferred Industrial Farm, Burwash. (Un- fit medically, January 31st, 1940.) Dispensed with services.	
Holden, P.	Temporary Guard	Apr. 24th, 1939	Transferred Ontario Hos- pital, Langstaff.	\$1,050.00
Johnston, E. H.	Temporary Guard	July 22nd, 1939	Salary paid to November 20th, 1939. Dispensed with services.	
Kerr, J.	Temporary Guard	Oct. 31st, 1936	Transferred Ontario Hos- pital, Langstaff. Re- signed May 4th, 1940.	
Metcalfe, B. E.	Temporary Guard	Sept. 22nd, 1939	Transferred Provincial Secretary's Dept., Oct. 22nd, 1939.	\$1,200.00
MacIntyre, A. A.	Chef-Guard	Mar. 1st, 1938	Transferred Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville.	\$1,200.00
McHale, W.	Temporary Guard	May 5th, 1937	Transferred Industrial Farm, Burwash; later, Toronto Gaol.	\$1,500.00
Risebrough, R.	Temporary Guard	Mar. 24th, 1937	Transferred Industrial Farm, Burwash. Re- signed May 9th, 1940.	

Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 69):—

1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.

Attorney-General
The Honourable the ~~Minister of Health~~ replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. 4,363. 3. \$22,291.00. 4. 28.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 74):—

1. Was Mr. A. N. Middleton, Public Trustee, superannuated, and if so, when. 2. Who is his successor. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. What are his special qualifications for the position. 6. How many employees are on the staff in the office of the Public Trustee. 7. What was the total cost of operating the office of the Public Trustee in the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940. 8. On December 31st, 1940, how many estates of Ontario Hospital patients were being administered by the Public Trustee. 9. How many estates or matters, other than estates of mental hospital patients, were being administered by the Public Trustee on December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. Mr. A. N. Middleton applied for superannuation under Section 26, Subsection 1 (d) of The Public Service Act. This was granted effective from April 30th, 1940. 2. Armand Racine, K.C. 3. October 1st, 1940. 4. Seven thousand dollars (\$7,000) per annum. 5. Mr. Racine has been a barrister and solicitor for 20 years. He was appointed one of His Majesty's counsel learned in the law in the year 1934. He has enjoyed a large practice as counsel and as a solicitor. 6. Permanent—33; Temporary—2; Total 35 as of March 1st, 1941. 7. Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938—\$63,731.96; Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939—\$67,830.03; Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940—\$66,711.58. 8. 2,599 estates. 9. 2,292 estates.

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 90):—

1. Why was the property known as "Camp Scholfield" located near Bowmanville offered for sale by the Government. 2. What tenders, if any, were received by the Government for purchase of the property, specifying name of each tenderer and price tendered. 3. Has the property been sold and if so to whom and for what amount. 4. In the deed of gift of the property from the late H. C. Scholfield to the Government, were any conditions attached as to the use

to be made of the property and as to proceeds of sale should the property be sold and, if so, what were the conditions. 5. What present summer camp facilities are used for the inmates of the Boys' School at Bowmanville.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Expensive to maintain: Upkeep of 10 buildings, and a large dining hall, plumbing, power, fuel, bedding, athletic equipment, dishes, etc.; Paying and maintaining of Counsellors to supplement permanent staff; Wages, fuel and food for caretaker for ten months; Gas, oil and upkeep of vehicles used in transport of boys and supplies to and from the main school. The opening of camp meant dividing staff and virtually running two institutions. On April 7th, 1938, the Dining Hall at Camp, together with the equipment stored therein, was completely demolished by fire. 2. The property was advertised for sale in the Globe and Mail, the Evening Telegram of Toronto and the Canadian Statesman of Bowmanville, on June 5th, 1940. McArthur and Company, Toronto, acting for E. A. Craig, \$1,500.00; Ivan M. Hobbs, Bowmanville, \$500.00. 3. Sold to the highest bidder, E. A. Craig, for \$1,500.00. 4. No conditions. 5. Rather than rebuild the Camp it was decided to try a "Summer School" amid the beautiful surroundings of the main School property. The younger children were particularly well provided for with an interest programme in a natural park at a bend in the creek. A dam was constructed by the boys which insured warm water for swimming all season. (At the lake the water was seldom warm enough for swimming during the month of July.) All boys in addition to the maintenance work of the School participate in a well-organized Summer programme consisting of sports, organized games, and swimming. Boys with satisfactory conduct records are given a Summer vacation to their homes.

The House resolved itself into a committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without Amendments.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 45), An Act respecting Bailiffs, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Companies Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time, it was, on the motion of Mr. Oliver,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 4.40 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act.

Mr. Laurier—On Friday next—An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act; also, An Act to authorize the appointment of an Assistant Natural Gas Commissioner.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), March 13th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 15

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 12TH, 1941

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Second Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting the London Street Railway Company and The Corporation of the City of London.

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties, if any, and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill No. 4, An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall, on the ground that it relates to a charitable institution.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties, if any, and the cost of printing, be remitted on Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall, on the ground that it relates to a charitable institution.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 64), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mining Act." *Mr. Laurier.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 65), intituled, "An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 28):—

1. Has the Government any information respecting an epidemic of hog cholera in the western part of the Province during the year 1940. 2. If so: (a) What measures were taken by the Government in the matters of localizing and checking the epidemic; (b) How many hogs were affected and destroyed; (c) What was the approximate value of the hogs destroyed; (d) Has any measure of compensation been granted by the Government to hog owners and, if so, give particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. (a) Epidemics such as hog cholera and any work in connection with health of animals is specifically the responsibility of the Health of Animals Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Though the Provincial Government has no definite control, yet officers of the Ontario Department of Agriculture in the Counties where hog cholera existed co-operated not only with the farmers but also with the officials of the Dominion Health of Animals Branch. The losses in some sections were so severe and the complaints coming into local provincial offices so numerous that the Ontario Department of Agriculture requested a conference with the Federal officer in charge. As a result local organization was effected which made the control much more efficient. The Ontario Department also inserted an advertisement in the press advising producers of hogs who had not already become affected the policy which they should adopt in order to protect themselves. (b) No information. (c) No information. (d) Compensation is granted under the rules and regulations of the Federal Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 66):—

1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

Name	Location	Capacity	Loan	Name of Manager	Locker System
Aldershot Distributing Co-Operative Company Ltd..	Aldershot	60,000 hampers	\$47,160	W. O. Galloway	Yes
Elgin Growers Co-operative Limited.....	St. Thomas	42,000 "	27,500	W. B. Blewett	Yes
Georgian Bay Fruit Growers Limited.....	Thornbury	75,000 "	6,000	Geo. Mitchell	Yes
Middlesex Growers Co-Operative Limited.....	Strathroy	30,000 "	9,000	C. S. Wilkie	No
Oxford Fruit Co-operative Limited.....	Woodstock	50,000 "	5,000	Geo. Laird	Yes
Kent Fruit Growers Co-operative Limited.....	Blenheim	20,000 "	12,000	Jas. Slocombe	No

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 80):—

1. What appointments have been made in the Criminal Investigation Branch of the Ontario Provincial Police since the present Government took office, stating: (a) Name of appointee; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Salary; (d) Official title; (e) Indicating whether by promotion or outside appointment.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

(a) Name of Appointee	(b) Date of Appointment	(c) Salary	(d) Official Title	(e) Promotion or or Outside Appointment
Miller, John (retired on superannuation April 23rd, 1938)	Mar. 15, 1935	\$4,000 per annum	Senior Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
Boyd, Albert B. (retired on superannuation June 1st, 1940).....	Dec. 1, 1938	3,600 per annum	Acting Chief Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
McCready, Herbert S.....	May 21, 1940	3,500 per annum	Deputy Commissioner	Outside (Tor. City Police)
Ward, Albert H....	Feb. 1, 1941	3,200 per annum	Chief Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
Lougheed, Wm. H..	June 1, 1937	3,000 per annum	Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
MacKay, George....	June 1, 1937	2,400 per annum	Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
Wilson, Alex. S....	Nov. 1, 1939	2,400 per annum	Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion
Noakes, Harry.....	May 1, 1940	2,400 per annum	Inspector, C.I.B.	Promotion

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 91):—

1. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have ceased to hold office, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of cessation of duties; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Indicating whether dismissed, requested to resign, resigning voluntarily, superannuated, deceased or as the case may be; (f) Reason for dismissals or requested resignations. 2. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have been appointed by the Government, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of appointment; (d) Rate of remuneration.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. Name of Magistrate and Address	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d) Rate of Remunera- tion	(e)	(f) Reason
T. W. Scandrett, London.....		Province (Appointed City of London)	Dec. 14, 1935	\$5,000.00	Dismissed	Services unsatisfactory
J. J. J. Weir, Kitchener.....		Province	Dec. 1, 1935	3,000.00	Deceased	
E. W. Cross, Simcoe.....		Province	Dec. 10, 1935	3,000.00	Voluntarily Resigned	
D. J. McDonnell (Deputy), Cornwall.....		Province	Oct. 15, 1935	1,500.00	Deceased	
E. S. Livermore, St. Thomas.....		Province	Oct. 14, 1936	3,500.00	Voluntarily Resigned	Transferred to Crown Attorney
W. E. Kelley, Simcoe.....		Province	May 27, 1937	3,000.00	Voluntarily Resigned	
A. A. Winter, Simcoe.....		Province	Dec. 4, 1939	3,000.00	Deceased	Services unsatisfactory Conduct unbecoming a Magistrate
D. Davidson (Deputy), Mimico.....		Province	Feb. 1, 1937	2,500.00	Deceased	
L. J. C. Bull, Brampton.....		Province	Feb. 28, 1938	3,000.00	Dismissed	
J. Cowan, Toronto.....		Province (Appointed City of Toronto)	May 11, 1938	6,000.00	Dismissed	
T. O'Connor, Toronto.....		Province (Appointed City of Toronto)	June 1, 1936	6,000.00	Voluntarily Resigned	Due to Age—72 Appointed Judge
J. T. Kirkland, Almonte.....		Province	Apr. 7, 1938	3,000.00	Deceased	
J. E. Jones, Toronto.....		Province (Appointed City of Toronto)	May 31, 1938	6,000.00	Resignation Requested	
J. A. Shea, Kingston.....		Province	Jan. 1, 1940	3,000.00	Voluntarily Resigned	
F. W. Major, Gore Bay.....		Province	May 16, 1940	1,800.00	Deceased	Due to Age and Ill Health—77 Services unsatisfactory
W. A. Smith, Kingsville.....		Province	Dec. 16, 1940	2,000.00	Deceased	
M. D. McCrimmon, St. Thomas.....		Province	Oct. 19, 1940	3,500.00	Deceased	
J. McCormick, Winchester.....		Province	Nov. 1, 1940	2,500.00	Resignation Requested	
J. A. Kinney, Kenora.....		Province	Mar. 31, 1936	2,500.00	Dismissed	

2.	(a) Name of Magistrate and Address	(b) Jurisdiction	(c) Date of Appointment	(d) Rate of Remuneration	Remarks
	D. B. Menzies, London.....	Provincial (Appointed for City of London)	Dec. 15, 1935	\$5,000.00	
	W. E. Kelly, Simcoe.....	Provincial	Dec. 10, 1935	3,000.00	Resigned May 27, 1937
	P. C. Bergeron, Cornwall.....	Provincial	Oct. 15, 1935	3,000.00	
	J. Cowan, Toronto.....	Provincial (Appointed for City of Toronto)	June 1, 1936	6,000.00	Dismissed May 11th, 1938
	M. D. McCrimmon, St. Thomas.....	Provincial	Oct. 14, 1936	3,500.00	
	A. A. Winter, Simcoe.....	Provincial	May 27, 1937	3,000.00	Deceased October 19, 1940
	W. F. Woodliffe, Brampton.....	Provincial	May 19, 1937	3,000.00	Deceased December 4, 1939
	F. C. Gullen, Toronto.....	Provincial (Appointed for City of Toronto)	May 16, 1938	5,000.00	
	L. C. Prentice, Toronto.....	Provincial (Appointed for City of Toronto)	June 1, 1938	5,000.00	
	R. Forsyth, Toronto.....	Provincial (Appointed for City of Toronto)	June 1, 1938	5,000.00	
	R. Thomas (Deputy), Bracebridge.....	Provincial	Jan. 17, 1938	1,500.00	
	D. C. Smith, Smith's Falls.....	Provincial	May 10, 1938	3,000.00	
	J. B. Garvin, Kingston.....	Provincial	Jan. 15, 1940	3,000.00	
	W. J. Golden, Little Current.....	Provincial	Aug. 1, 1939	1,200.00	
	E. D. Smith, St. Thomas.....	Provincial	Nov. 2, 1940	3,000.00	
	R. G. Groom, Tillsonburg.....	Provincial	Feb. 1, 1941	3,000.00	
	Judge D. O'Connell, Toronto.....	Provincial	Mar. 1, 1936	1,200.00	
	J. McEwan, Sault Ste. Marie.....	Provincial	Nov. 1, 1939	2,000.00	
	W. M. Cooper, Sudbury.....	Provincial	Apr. 1, 1936	3,000.00	

Senior Magistrate—District No. 6

APPOINTMENTS PRO TEMPORE—RELIEVING FOR MILITARY SERVICE, ILLNESS AND VACATIONS

2.	(a) Name of Magistrate and Address	(b) Jurisdiction	(c) Date of Appointment	(d) Rate of Remuneration	Remarks
	G. Longman, Barrie.....	Provincial	May 15, 1937	\$15.00 (per diem)	Part time or relieving Magistrate to replace full time Magistrates on vacation or ill
	R. Hossack, Toronto.....	Provincial	Dec. 14, 1939	Nil	Appointed Magistrate to complete jurisdiction as Juvenile Court Judge
	H. S. Mott, Toronto.....	Provincial	Jan. 23, 1940	Nil	Appointed Magistrate to complete jurisdiction as Juvenile Court Judge
	H. R. Polson, Toronto.....	Provincial	May 17, 1939	Nil	Appointed Magistrate to facilitate work as Assistant Inspector of Legal Offices
	H. S. McCready, Toronto.....	Provincial	Sept. 18, 1940	Nil	Appointed Magistrate to facilitate work, issuing warrants, etc., as Dep. Commr. Provincial Police
	A. H. Lief, Ottawa.....	Provincial	Dec. 1, 1939	3,000.00	Relieving Magistrate Clayton on Military Service
	T. M. J. Galligan, Pembroke.....	Provincial	Aug. 6, 1940	2,500	Relieving Magistrate MacGregor on Military Service
	J. P. Madden, Ottawa.....	Provincial	May 31, 1940	15.00 (per diem)	Part time or relieving Magistrate to replace full time Magistrates on vacation or ill
	J. C. M. German, Toronto.....	Provincial	Jan. 31, 1940	20.00 (per diem)	Part time or relieving Magistrate to replace full time Magistrates on vacation or ill
	S. C. Platus, Timmins.....	Provincial	July 9, 1940	15.00 (per diem)	Part time or relieving Magistrate to replace full time Magistrates on vacation or ill
	M. G. Gould, North Bay.....	Provincial	June 20, 1938	15.00 (per diem)	Part time or relieving Magistrate to replace full time Magistrates on vacation or ill
	A. Bond, Toronto.....	Provincial	Nov. 3, 1938	Nil	Deceased April 7, 1940
	R. J. Gillen, Brantford.....	Provincial	Oct. 1, 1940	3,000.00	Relieving S. A. Jones on six months' leave of absence
	Col. A. E. Kirkpatrick, Toronto.....	Provincial	Sept. 26, 1936	Nil	To Qualify for Toronto Police Commission

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario.

Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury.

Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School.

Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act.

Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act.

Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act.

Bill (No. 45), An Act respecting Bailiffs.

Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Companies Act.

Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for the consideration of the Speech of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The Debate was resumed and, after some time,

Mr. Oliver, seconded by Mr. Laurier, moved in Amendment to the Amendment:—

That all the words in the Amendment after the word “and” commencing the second paragraph thereof be struck out and the following be substituted therefor:—

“this House has received with great satisfaction Your Honour’s advice on the actions of your Ministers in aid of the war efforts of Canada and approves the various steps reported in Your Honour’s address by means of which every co-operation is being and shall be extended to the Dominion authorities in order that the efforts of this Province shall be as effective as possible in bringing to a successful conclusion the struggle in which we are engaged.”

The Debate was resumed, and after some time,

The Amendment to the Amendment having been put was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Duncan	Macfie
Armstrong	Elliott	MacGillivray
Baker	Fairbank	MacKay
Ballantyne	Fletcher	Mercer
Bégin	Freeborn	Miller
Bethune	Gardhouse	Murray
Blakelock	Glass	McEwing
Bradley	Gordon	McQuesten
Brownridge	Guthrie	Newlands
Campbell	Hagey	Nixon
(Kent, East)	Haines	(Brant)
Carr	Heenan	Nixon
Cholette	Hepburn	(Temiskaming)
Conacher	(Elgin)	
Conant	Hipel	Oliver
Cooper	Houck	Patterson
Cox	Hunter	Sinclair
Croome	King	Smith
Cross	Kirby	Strachan
Dickson	Laurier	Trottier—55

NAYS

Acres	Duckworth	Macaulay
Arnott	Frost	Murphy
Black	Henry	Reynolds
Challies	Hepburn	Spence
Doucett	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Stewart
Downer	Kennedy	Welsh—18
Drew		

PAIRS

Campbell	—	Summerville
(Sault Ste. Marie)		
Croll	—	Dunbar
Lamport	—	Elgie

The Motion, as amended, having been submitted, was then carried on the same Division.

And it was,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, as follows:—

To the Honourable Albert Matthews,
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario.

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly

of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And this House has received with great satisfaction Your Honour's advice on the actions of Your Ministers in aid of the War efforts of Canada and approves the various steps reported in Your Honour's address by means of which every co-operation is being and shall be extended to the Federal authority in order that the efforts of this Province shall be as effective as possible in bringing to a successful conclusion the struggle in which we are engaged.

The Address, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Address be engrossed and presented to The Honourable The Lieutenant-Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Orders-in-Council pertaining to the Department of Education, 1940-41. (*Sessional Papers No. 45.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House dated March 10th, 1941, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All letters, memoranda, certificates and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official or employee of the Government in relation to one John Kluck who was a patient at the Ontario Hospital at Penetanguishene and who was arrested in the City of Toronto in the month of September, 1940, on a charge of murder. (*Sessional Papers No. 46.*)

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Kirby—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

No. 16

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Hepburn delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from The Lieutenant-Governor, signed by himself; and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker, and is as follows:—

ALBERT MATTHEWS

The Lieutenant-Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending 31st March, 1942, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, March 14th, 1941.

(Sessional Papers No. 2.)

Ordered, That the message of The Lieutenant-Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Order of the Day for the House to resolve itself into the Committee of Supply having been read,

Mr. Hepburn moved,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.

And a Debate having ensued, it was, on the motion of Mr. Macaulay,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

During the course of his presentation of the Budget the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer laid on the Table the following statements:—

HYDRO-ELECTRIC RADIAL ACT

LIST SHOWING THE CORPORATIONS, THEIR RESPECTIVE SHARES OF THE TOTAL LIABILITIES AS OF MARCH 31ST, 1941, AND THE RESPECTIVE AMOUNTS OF THEIR DEBENTURES DEPOSITED AS COLLATERAL SECURITY WITH THE COMMISSION UNDER THE 1914 ACT

PORT CREDIT-ST. CATHARINES

Name of Corporation	Respective Shares of Total Liabilities as of March 31st, 1941	Respective Amounts of Debentures Deposited as Collateral
Township of Grantham.....	\$ 9,442.77	\$ 141,604.00
" " Louth.....	41,473.34	621,935.00
" " Clinton.....	34,872.86	522,954.00
" " North Grimsby.....	31,216.69	468,126.00
" " Barton.....	20,941.09	314,033.00
" " East Flamboro.....	19,626.54	294,320.00
" " Nelson.....	27,590.26	413,744.00
" " Trafalgar.....	39,656.53	594,690.00
" " Toronto.....	17,893.82	268,336.00
Village of Beamsville.....	3,788.67	56,815.00
" " Grimsby.....	7,494.86	112,393.00
Town of Burlington.....	10,639.42	159,549.00
" " Oakville.....	14,950.23	224,194.00
City of St. Catharines.....	45,914.79	688,539.00
" " Hamilton.....	432,043.21	6,478,928.00
Totals—Port Credit-St. Catharines.....	<u>\$ 757,545.08</u>	<u>\$11,360,160.00</u>

TORONTO-PORT CREDIT

Township of Toronto.....	\$ 64,272.33	\$ 220,542.00
" " Etobicoke.....	116,960.66	401,335.00
Village of Port Credit.....	15,751.74	54,050.00
Town of New Toronto.....	23,970.03	82,250.00
" " Mimico.....	32,406.90	111,200.00
City of Toronto.....	1,235,716.08	4,240,196.00
Totals—Toronto-Port Credit.....	<u>\$1,489,077.74</u>	<u>\$ 5,109,573.00</u>
Grant Totals of both Radials.....	<u>\$2,246,622.82</u>	<u>\$16,469,733.00</u>

THE FUNDED DEBT OF ONTARIO

DETAIL SUMMARY OF ESTIMATED CHANGES IN FUNDED DEBT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31st, 1941

As at March 31st, 1940 (after deducting Sinking Funds).....		\$618,744,454.48
ADD—Sale of Debentures:		
RM—2%, due May 1st, 1941/45.....	\$ 6,285,000.00	
RN—3¼%, due May 1st, 1952/55.....	15,000,000.00	
RP—3¼%, due November 1st, 1948/50.....	10,000,000.00	
RQ—2%, due November 1st, 1941/45.....	6,000,000.00	
TI—4¾%, due November 1st, 1942.....	1,500,000.00	38,785,000.00
		<u>\$657,529,454.48</u>
LESS—Redemptions:		
At Maturity—		
May 15th, 1940—AL—4%.....	\$ 502,000.00	
May 15th, 1940—AP—4½%.....	443,000.00	
June 1st, 1940—AS—4%.....	432,000.00	
June 1st, 1940—RK—1½%.....	1,200,000.00	
June 15th, 1940—BE—3%.....	8,153,500.00	
August 1st, 1940—RC—2%.....	10,000,000.00	
November 1st, 1940—AK—4½%.....	800,000.00	
December 1st, 1940—AH—4½%.....	700,000.00	
January 15th, 1941—AJ—4½%.....	800,000.00	
January 15th, 1941—AR—4½%.....	386,000.00	
January 15th, 1941—RE—2%.....	8,000,000.00	
February 1st, 1941—SS—6%.....	8,349,500.00	
	<u>\$39,766,000.00</u>	
Railway Aid Certificates.....	76,992.00	
Sinking Fund Provisions—Current Year—		
Instalments.....	1,086,655.27	
Earnings.....	15,609.97	40,945,257.24
		<u>\$616,584,197.24</u>
Estimated as at March 31st, 1941 (after deducting Sinking Funds).....		\$616,584,197.24
Total Redemptions.....	\$40,945,257.24	
Total New Issues.....	38,785,000.00	
Net Decrease.....	<u>\$ 2,160,257.24</u>	

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
TEMPORARY LOANS—TREASURY BILLS
(Estimated to be outstanding as at March 31st, 1941)

Date of Maturity	Date of Issue	Rate %	Series	Amount Outstanding	Where Payable
1941, June 1st	1938, June 1st	1.65%	RT-N	\$ 5,000,000.00	Canada
June 29th	1940, June 29th	1¼% Disc.	RT-X	2,000,000.00	"
Aug. 1st	1938, Aug. 1st	1.65	RT-O	4,500,000.00	"
Aug. 1st	Aug. 1st	1.65	EJ	2,500,000.00	"
Sept. 1st	1940, Sept. 1st	1.75	RT-AD	2,000,000.00	"
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.75	RT-Z	2,000,000.00	"
Sept. 1st	Sept. 1st	1.75	RT-AB	5,000,000.00	"
Sept. 3rd	Sept. 3rd	1½% Disc.	RT-Y	1,000,000.00	"
Sept. 13th	Sept. 13th	1.75	RT-AA	2,000,000.00	"
Sept. 13th	Sept. 13th	1.75	RT-AB	5,000,000.00	"
Sept. 13th	Sept. 13th	1.75	RT-Z	5,000,000.00	"
Sept. 13th	1938, Dec. 1st	1.65	RT-T	5,000,000.00	"
Sept. 15th	1940, Sept. 15th	1.75	RT-AC	2,000,000.00	"
Nov. 1st	Nov. 1st	1.75	RT-U	10,000,000.00	"
Dec. 21st	Dec. 21st	1.75	RT-AE	8,000,000.00	"
				<u>\$61,000,000.00</u>	

This is a reduction of \$3,000,000.00 in the amount of Treasury Bills outstanding at April 1st, 1940.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO
CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

BONDS, ETC., GUARANTEED BY THE PROVINCE
(Estimated as at March 31st, 1941)

Total (as per Public Accounts, March 31st, 1940)..... \$134,651,515.66

ADD—New Guarantees for Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1941—

Co-Operative Associations.....	\$ 5,000.00	
Park Commissions.....	3,000,000.00	
Power Commissions.....	17,000,000.00	20,005,000.00
		<u>\$154,656,515.66</u>

LESS—Principal Maturities redeemed or to be redeemed during
Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1941—

By Province of Ontario—

Housing.....	\$ 100,879.40
Municipalities.....	4,425.01
Schools.....	12,933.62

118,238.03

By Municipalities, etc.—

Co-Operative Associations.....	\$ 13,424.03	
Housing.....	117,525.97	
Municipalities.....	54,962.70	
Park Commissions.....	2,608,000.00	
Power Commissions.....	18,276,000.00	
Railways.....	916,000.00	
Schools.....	214,512.73	
Universities.....	95,345.98	22,295,771.41
		<u>22,414,009.44</u>

\$132,242,506.22

LESS—Sinking Fund Deposits for Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1941..... 27,761.81

Estimated Net Contingent Liability of the Province as at March 31st, 1941... \$132,214,744.41

SUMMARY

Contingent Liability of the Province—March 31st, 1940.....	\$134,651,515.66
Estimated Contingent Liability of the Province—March 31st, 1941.....	132,214,744.41
Estimated Decrease.....	<u>\$ 2,436,771.25</u>

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 2,100,000.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		3,200,000.00
3—EDUCATION.....		12,730,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		530,000.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches.....	\$1,200,000.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	9,700,000.00	10,900,000.00
6—HIGHWAYS.....		13,036,400.00
7—INSURANCE.....		59,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		783,000.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS.....		2,166,000.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		270,000.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.....		10,000.00
12—MINES.....		320,000.00
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		3,059,900.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		172,500.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		115,100.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	141,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	2,242,000.00	2,383,000.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office.....	1,080,000.00	
Budget Committee Office.....	9,500.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	395,700.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch.....	36,700.00	
Post Office.....	143,600.00	
Savings Office.....	265,900.00	1,931,400.00
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:		
Main Office and Branches.....	416,000.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission.....	3,479,000.00	
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	4,813,000.00	8,708,000.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS.....		665,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS:		
Hydro Radials.....	1,250,000.00	
Miscellaneous Grants.....	4,400.00	1,254,400.00
STATIONERY ACCOUNT.....		70,800.00
		\$ 64,464,500.00
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, Exchange, etc.....		32,676,400.00
		\$ 97,140,900.00
ADD: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....		4,315,000.00
		\$101,455,900.00

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL PAYMENTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 17,000.00	
EDUCATION.....	\$ 65,638.43		
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	5,293.32		
HIGHWAYS.....	16,818,536.02		
LABOUR.....		60,000.00	
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	331,440.10		
PRIME MINISTER—			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$ 863,261.87
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		1,195,378.72	311,096.58
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	1,375,000.00	30,000.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government:			
Old Age Pensions for Blind Commission.....		10,050,000.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	389,498.96		
MISCELLANEOUS.....			3,202.66
	<u>\$18,985,406.83</u>	<u>\$11,352,378.72</u>	<u>\$1,177,561.11</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$18,985,406.83
Loan Advances.....	11,352,378.72
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,177,561.11
	<u>\$31,515,346.66</u>

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 322,000.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		930,000.00
3—EDUCATION.....		105,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES.....		976,000.00
5—HEALTH:		
Main Office and Branches.....	\$ 70,000.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	1,509,000.00	1,579,000.00
6—HIGHWAYS:		
Main Office.....	49,000.00	
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	26,000,000.00	
Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	110,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	9,000,000.00	35,159,000.00

7—INSURANCE.....		\$220,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		90,000.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS.....		5,000,000.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		9,000.00
11—MINES.....		2,330,000.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:		
Main Office.....	\$8,000.00	
Municipal Board.....	19,000.00	27,000.00
13—PRIME MINISTER.....		16,000.00
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:		
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	390,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	923,000.00	1,313,000.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:		
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,424.28	
Interest.....	72,840.28	
Liquor Control Board.....	10,500,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch:		
Succession Duty.....	11,000,000.00	
Corporations Tax.....	23,000,000.00	
Race Tracks.....	611,000.00	
Income Tax.....	6,800,000.00	
Security Transfer Tax.....	275,000.00	
Land Transfer Tax.....	230,000.00	
Law Stamps.....	350,000.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection....	200,000.00	
Savings Office.....	266,000.00	56,246,264.56
16—PUBLIC WORKS.....		61,000.00
		<u>\$104,383,264.56</u>
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, etc.....		9,673,000.00
		<u><u>\$114,056,264.56</u></u>

SUMMARY

Gross Ordinary Revenue.....	\$114,056,264.56
Less: Gross Ordinary Expenditure (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Funds and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates....)	95,977,300.00
Surplus: (before providing for Unemployment Direct Relief, Provision for Sinking Fund, and Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....)	18,078,964.56
Less: Unemployment Direct Relief and Administration thereof.....	\$4,315,000.00
Provision for Sinking Fund.....	1,086,600.00
Maturing Railway Aid Certificates.....	77,000.00
	<u>5,478,600.00</u>
Interim Surplus.....	<u><u>\$ 12,600,364.56</u></u>

INTERIM STATEMENT OF GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1940—MARCH 31ST, 1941

10 Months Actual—2 Months Forecast—12 Months

DEPARTMENT	GROSS CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE.....	\$	\$ 5,765.00	.....
ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		5,000.00	\$ 150.00
HIGHWAYS.....	13,380.50		.....
LABOUR.....		60,000.00	.....
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	46,220.82		.....
MINES.....	52,191.03		.....
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		35,500.00	.....
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			1,323,204.83
PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.....			16,295.27
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		3,666,619.31	204,701.24
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....		7,772,237.68	.....
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Old Age and Pensions for the Blind Commission.....		10,050,000.00	.....
PUBLIC WORKS.....	4,981.70		.....
	<u>\$116,774.05</u>	<u>\$21,595,121.99</u>	<u>\$1,544,351.34</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$ 116,774.05
Loan Repayments.....	21,595,121.99
Trust Fund Deposits.....	1,544,351.34
	<u>\$23,256,247.38</u>

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

DETAILED SUMMARY ACCOUNTING FOR ESTIMATED DECREASE IN GROSS DEBT
FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31ST, 1941

GROSS DEBT DECREASED BY:

Surplus—		
Surplus on Ordinary Account	\$12,600,364.56	
Provisions Charged to Ordinary Expenditure:		
Retirement of Railway Certificates	76,992.00	
Sinking Fund Instalments	1,086,655.27	\$13,764,011.83
Discount on Debentures, etc., written off		960,058.93
Earnings on Sinking Fund Investments (Net)		15,609.97
Loan Repayments—		
Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario	7,718,676.91	
Agricultural Development Board	2,564,000.00	
Housing Loans	35,500.00	
Tile Drainage (Net)	89,284.41	
Miscellaneous (Net)	126,200.80	10,533,662.12
Increase in Reserves		3,648.32
		<u>\$25,276,991.17</u>

GROSS DEBT INCREASED BY:

Capital Disbursements—		
Highways, Public Buildings, Public Works, etc.	18,985,406.83	
Less—Capital Receipts	109,106.45	
	<u>\$18,876,300.38</u>	
Discount on Debentures, etc., issued during year	758,492.69	
Payments re Guaranteed Debentures (Net)	296,118.85	19,930,911.92
Estimated Decrease as at March 31st, 1941		<u><u>\$ 5,346,079.25</u></u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY REVENUE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1941—MARCH 31ST, 1942

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Revenue	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Revenue
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 291,153.00			\$ 291,153.00
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		1,021,070.00	\$ 130,670.00		890,400.00
3—EDUCATION.....		60,000.00			60,000.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES....		1,000,000.00			1,000,000.00
5—HEALTH:					
Main Office and Branches....	\$ 60,830.00		3,200.00	\$ 57,630.00	
Hospital Branch.....	1,390,500.00	1,451,330.00		1,390,500.00	1,448,130.00
6—HIGHWAYS:					
Main Office and Branches....	10,000.00			10,000.00	
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	26,500,000.00			26,500,000.00	
Miscellaneous Permits Branch	90,000.00			90,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	9,500,000.00	36,100,000.00		9,500,000.00	36,100,000.00
7—INSURANCE.....		210,000.00			210,000.00
8—LABOUR.....		80,000.00			80,000.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS.....		5,000,000.00			5,000,000.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		10,000.00			10,000.00
11—MINES.....		2,500,000.00	5,000.00		2,495,000.00
12—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:					
Main Office and Municipal					
Board.....		21,110.00			21,110.00
13—PRIME MINISTER:					
King's Printer—Ontario					
Gazette.....		14,400.00			14,400.00
14—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:					
Main Office and Registrar-					
General's Office.....	330,000.00			330,000.00	
Reformatories and Prisons					
Branch.....	912,000.00	1,242,000.00	702,000.00	210,000.00	540,000.00
15—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:					
Main Office—Subsidy.....	2,941,424.00			2,941,424.00	
Interest.....	73,000.00			73,000.00	
Liquor Control Board.....	12,000,000.00			12,000,000.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch:					
Succession Duty.....	12,000,000.00			12,000,000.00	
Corporations Tax.....	23,000,000.00			23,000,000.00	
Race Tracks.....	525,000.00			525,000.00	
Income Tax.....	5,000,000.00			5,000,000.00	
Security Transfer Tax.....	350,000.00			350,000.00	
Land Transfer Tax.....	225,000.00			225,000.00	
Law Stamps.....	365,000.00			365,000.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and					
Theatre Inspection Branch.	175,000.00			175,000.00	
Savings Office.....	261,174.48	56,915,598.48	261,174.68		56,654,424.00
16—PUBLIC WORKS.....		49,000.00			49,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		100,000.00	100,000.00		
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, etc.	\$ 8,364,696.66	\$106,065,661.48	\$ 1,202,044.48		\$104,863,617.00
Foreign Ex-			8,364,696.66		
change....	749,417.23	9,114,113.89	749,417.23		
TOTAL.....		\$115,179,775.37	\$10,316,158.37		\$104,863,617.00

SUMMARY

Net Ordinary Revenue.....	\$104,863,617.00
Net Ordinary Expenditure (not including Unemployment Relief).....	90,135,553.04
EXCESS OF ORDINARY REVENUE OVER ORDINARY EXPENDITURE	\$ 14,728,063.96
Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and	
administration thereof.....	4,985,000.00
SURPLUS FORECAST.....	\$ 9,743,063.96

BUDGET FORECAST OF ORDINARY EXPENDITURE

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1941—MARCH 31ST, 1942

DEPARTMENT	Detail	Gross Ordinary Expenditure	Application of Revenue to Expenditure	Detail	Net Ordinary Expenditure
1—AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 5,984,117.50			\$ 5,984,117.50
2—ATTORNEY-GENERAL.....		3,070,645.00	\$ 130,670.00		2,939,975.00
3—EDUCATION.....		13,588,630.00			13,588,630.00
4—GAME AND FISHERIES....		619,000.00			619,000.00
5—HEALTH:					
Main Office and Branches....	\$ 1,310,860.00		3,200.00	\$ 1,307,660.00	
Hospitals Branch.....	9,474,825.00	10,785,685.00		9,474,825.00	10,782,485.00
6—HIGHWAYS:					
Main Office and Branches....	12,925,000.00			12,925,000.00	
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	400,000.00	13,325,000.00		400,000.00	13,325,000.00
7—INSURANCE.....		62,425.00			62,425.00
8—LABOUR.....		815,000.00			815,000.00
9—LANDS AND FORESTS.....		2,278,175.00			2,278,175.00
10—LEGISLATION.....		272,450.00			272,450.00
11—LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.....		10,000.00			10,000.00
12—MINES.....		367,275.00	5,000.00		362,275.00
13—MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:					
Main Office and Municipal Board.....	94,590.00			94,590.00	
Subsidy—1 Mill—					
To cities, towns, incorporated villages and townships.....	3,000,000.00	3,094,590.00		3,000,000.00	3,094,590.00
14—PRIME MINISTER.....		407,065.00			407,065.00
15—PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....		118,200.00			118,200.00
16—PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:					
Main Office and Registrar-General's Branch.....	147,050.00			147,050.00	
Reformatories and Prisons Branch.....	1,910,500.00	2,057,550.00	702,000.00	1,208,500.00	1,355,550.00
17—PROVINCIAL TREASURER:					
Main Office.....	835,940.00			835,940.00	
Budget Committee Office....	9,420.00			9,420.00	
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	404,460.00			404,460.00	
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch.....	44,025.00			44,025.00	
Post Office.....	148,140.00			148,140.00	
Savings Office.....	261,174.48	1,703,159.48	261,174.48		1,441,985.00
18—PUBLIC WELFARE:					
Main Office.....	219,975.00			219,975.00	
Children's Aid Branch.....	188,200.00			188,200.00	
Old Age Pensions Commission and Pensions for the Blind.....	3,564,000.00			3,564,000.00	
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	4,660,650.00	8,632,825.00		4,660,650.00	8,632,825.00
19—PUBLIC WORKS.....		665,000.00			665,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS.....		104,400.00	100,000.00		4,400.00
		\$ 67,961,191.98	\$ 1,202,044.48		\$66,759,147.50
PUBLIC DEBT—Interest, etc.....		30,609,433.63	8,364,696.66		22,244,736.97
Foreign Exchange.....		1,881,085.80	749,417.23		1,131,668.57
TOTAL.....		\$100,451,711.41	\$10,316,158.37		\$90,135,553.04
ADD: Estimated Net Expenditure on account of Unemployment Direct Relief and the Administration thereof.....		4,985,000.00			4,985,000.00
GRAND TOTAL.....		\$105,436,711.41	\$10,316,158.37		\$95,120,553.04

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL RECEIPTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1941—MARCH 31ST, 1942

DEPARTMENT	CAPITAL RECEIPTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Repayments	Trust Fund Deposits
AGRICULTURE:.....		\$ 2,500.00	.....
HIGHWAYS.....	\$ 5,000.00	.....	.....
LABOUR.....		35,000.00	.....
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	36,000.00	.....	.....
MINES.....	52,000.00	.....	.....
MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.....		14,200.00	.....
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....	.....	.....	\$1,341,531.62
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....	.....	3,361,780.71	158,368.45
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	.....	1,747,619.34	.....
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government—			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....	.....	10,035,000.00	.....
Pensions for Blind.....	.....	256,500.00	.....
PUBLIC WORKS.....	375.00	.....	.....
	<u>\$93,375.00</u>	<u>\$15,452,600.05</u>	<u>\$1,499,900.07</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$ 93,375.00
Loan Repayments.....	15,452,600.05
Trust Fund Deposits.....	1,499,900.07
	<u>\$17,045,875.12</u>

BUDGET FORECAST OF CAPITAL PAYMENTS

FISCAL YEAR APRIL 1ST, 1941—MARCH 31ST, 1942

DEPARTMENT	CAPITAL PAYMENTS		
	Works and Resources	Loan Advances	Trust Fund Repayments
AGRICULTURE.....		\$ 25,000.00	
EDUCATION.....	\$ 65,638.43		
GAME AND FISHERIES.....	20,000.00		
HIGHWAYS.....	13,000,000.00		
LABOUR.....		35,000.00	
LANDS AND FORESTS.....	375,000.00		
PRIME MINISTER:			
Public Service Superannuation Fund.....			\$ 950,000.00
PROVINCIAL TREASURER:			
Main Office.....		1,355,088.58	291,488.56
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	750,000.00	60,000.00	
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Dominion Government:			
Old Age Pensions Commission.....		10,035,000.00	
Pensions for Blind.....		256,500.00	
PUBLIC WORKS.....	292,000.00		
	<u>\$14,502,638.43</u>	<u>\$11,766,588.58</u>	<u>\$1,241,488.56</u>

SUMMARY

Works and Resources.....	\$14,502,638.43
Loan Advances.....	11,766,588.58
Trust Fund Repayments.....	1,241,488.56
	<u>\$27,510,715.57</u>

The House then adjourned at 4.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE

The following Standing Committees will meet at the times and places severally mentioned:—

Standing Orders, in Committee Room No. 1 on Tuesday, March 18th, at 10.00 a.m.

Private Bills, in Committee Room No. 1 on Tuesday, March 18th, at 10.30 a.m.

Fish and Game, in Committee Room No. 2 on Wednesday, March 19th, at 10.00 a.m. for organization and business.

Legal Bills, in Committee Room No. 1 on Wednesday, March 19th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

Fish and Game, in Committee Room No. 2 on Thursday, March 20th, at 10.00 a.m.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 14TH, 1941

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 17TH, 1941

PRAYERS,

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Before the Orders of the Day were called Prime Minister Hepburn introduced to the House the Honourable Claude Pepper, United States Senator for the State of Florida, one of the most vigorous proponents of the Lease-Lend Bill for Aid to Great Britain and her allies in the present war, which had just been adopted by the United States Congress on recommendation of President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Senator Pepper, in a brief address, referred feelingly to the good neighbour feeling existing between his country and Canada and assured the House of the fullest support of the United States to the British Empire until the Axis war of aggression has been terminated in favour of the democratic countries of the World.

Mr. Drew, leader of the Opposition, expressed the thanks of the House to the Senator for his visit and his encouraging and inspiring address.

The following Petition was brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Newland, the Petition of the Board of Park Management of the City of Hamilton.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 66), intituled, "An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 67), intituled, "An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act." *Mr. Laurier.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 68), intituled, "An Act to amend The Jurors Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 69), intituled, "An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 70), intituled, "An Act to amend The Natural Gas Conservation Act."

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 71), intituled, "An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials. *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 68):—

1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

East York Township and Don River Valley patrolled by Game and Fishery Overseer, North York Police and Deputy Game Wardens. Twenty-five seizures and fourteen prosecutions in the last three years from this particular area.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 78):—

1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, and including the period from April 1st, 1940, to date, what amounts have been paid, and to whom, as Iron Ore Bounty. 2. In each case mentioned in (1), state the number of tons of ore on which bounty was paid and the mines from which such ore was produced.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

Payments of Iron Ore Bounty have been made since the present Government

took office to March 1st, 1941, to Algoma Ore Properties Limited on ore mined from the Helen Mine, as follows:—

Period	Tons of Beneficiated Ore	Bounty
Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	111,485	\$118,705.37
Eleven months prior from April 1st, 1940, to March 1st, 1941.....	298,829	313,864.14

Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 86):—

1. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, including Chairman and specifying date of appointment and salary in each case. 2. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 3. What persons have been appointed to the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, specifying date of appointment, address at date of appointment and commencing salary together with official title. 4. What officials or employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board have been dismissed or requested to resign since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request for resignation in each case.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1.

Name	Position	Date of Appointment	Salary
John Harold.....	Chairman	Feb. 21, 1938	\$8,500 per year
D. J. Galbraith.....	Vice-Chairman	June 12, 1935	7,000 per year
W. D. Smith.....	Commissioner	Jan. 1, 1940	6,500 per year

2. 286 at March 11th, 1941.

3.

Name	Date of Appointment	Address at Date of Appointment	Commencing Salary	Official Title
Samis, Dr. Jas. Clifford	May 1, 1938	Kingston	\$3,000 per yr.	Medical Officer
Gruetzner, Ruth	May 2, 1938	Hanover	62.50 per mo.	Filing Clerk
Haines, Wm. R.	May 25, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Cuthbert, J. A.	May 25, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Services terminated	Apr. 30, 1939.			
Kippen, D. J.	May 25, 1938	Maxville	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Stone, D. E.	May 25, 1938	Renfrew	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Footitt, Geo. W.	June 1, 1938	Acton	70.00 per mo.	Clerk
On leave since Aug. 31, 1940—on active service.				
Sansone, Paul	June 17, 1938	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	File Clerk
Filion, Loretta	June 20, 1938	Cornwall	65.00 per mo.	Steno. and Typist
Wilson, Geo. H.	June 20, 1938	Paris	110.00 per mo.	Pensions Investigator
Left on account of ill-health,	Apr. 30, 1940.			
Turnbull, Helen H.	June 20, 1938	Brantford	65.00 per mo.	File Clerk
Fleet, Hilliard E.....	June 28, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Carling, Russell J.	June 28, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Services terminated	Sept. 15, 1938.			
Shoemaker, John R.	June 29, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Services terminated	Aug. 20, 1938.			
Brennan, Dr. J. H. L.	July 1, 1938	Haileybury	300.00 per mo.	Medical Officer, Sili- cosis Station
Campbell, Glenna	July 7, 1938	Port Arthur	70.00 per mo.	Steno. and Clerk, Sili- cosis Station
MacBride, Gordon G.	Sept. 6, 1938	Brantford	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Fraser, Grant	Sept. 6, 1938	Ripley	65.00 per mo.	File Clerk
McGee, Jos. O.	Oct. 3, 1938	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor

Name	Date of Appointment	Address at Date of Appointment	Commencing Salary	Official Title
Taylor, Dr. Wm.	Oct. 15, 1938	Hamilton	\$250.00 per mo.	Medical Officer, Sili- cosis Station
Pritchard, Audry P.	Oct. 24, 1938	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Noble, M. Olive	Nov. 1, 1938	Toronto	2,000 per yr.	Director, Occupational Therapy
Resigned Nov. 30, 1939, to be married.				
Symington, Kay	Nov. 7, 1938	Kirkland Lake	65.00 per mo.	Steno., Silicosis Stn.
Stewart, Thelma B.	Nov. 7, 1938	Toronto	90.00 per mo.	Physiotherapy Aide
On leave since Oct. 22, 1940—active service.				
Jarvis, Ada	Nov. 14, 1938	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Watson, John A.	Nov. 16, 1938	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	File Clerk
Left as at June 27, 1940.				
Whelan, Carson	Nov. 29, 1938	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Smith, Hetty V.	Dec. 1, 1938	Toronto	90.00 per mo.	Aide, Occupational Therapy
Burnham, Gladys	Dec. 15, 1938	Sutton	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Stewart, Marian O.	Dec. 20, 1938	Millgrove	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Absent since Aug. 31, 1940—illness.				
Sweitzer, Andrew E.	Jan. 1, 1939	Toronto	75.00 per mo.	Instructor—Occupational Therapy
Flanagan, Jack	Jan. 23, 1939	Sudbury	70.00 per mo.	Assistant Silicosis Station
On leave since Aug. 26, 1940—active service.				
Davis, S. Ross	Jan. 30, 1939	Toronto	70.00 per mo.	Computer
Wilson, Edna	Jan. 30, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Resigned May 22, 1940, to be married.				
Marshall, Ruby E.	Jan. 31, 1939	Ancaster	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
Anderson, Mary	Mar. 1, 1939	Bolton	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Meyers, Lois	Mar. 1, 1939	Campbellford	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Iviney, Pearl	Mar. 20, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Johnston, Walter J.	Mar. 31, 1939	Grafton	90.00 per mo.	Clerk
Lewin, Marjorie L.	May 1, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Gillies, Marjorie A.	May 25, 1939	Paris	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Campbell, John	June 1, 1939	Toronto	100.00 per mo.	Clerk, Rehabilitation Dept.
Blackman, Walter	June 15, 1939	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Computer
Sellers, Wm. F. P., Jr.	June 19, 1939	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Clerk
On leave since Oct. 9, 1940—active service.				
Holden, Irvine S.	June 19, 1939	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	P. R. Auditor
Brown, Doris E.	June 26, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Scott, Dr. F. M.	July 24, 1939	Stratford	250.00 per mo.	Medical Officer
Black, Geo. S.	Aug. 18, 1939	Toronto	85.00 per mo.	Clerk
Farrell, Dr. Wm. A.	Sept. 1, 1939	Geraldton	250.00 per mo.	Medical Officer, Sili- cosis Station
Mackerrrow, Marg't M.	Oct. 1, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
Klein, Johanne	Oct. 2, 1939	Toronto	90.00 per mo.	Aide, Physiotherapy Dept.
Smith, Nora C.	Oct. 20, 1939	Chatham	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Left Oct. 12, 1940, to be married.				
Wilson, Audrey	Oct. 20, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Farquharson, Ailsa	Oct. 25, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
On leave since June 24, 1940—illness.				
Buckley, Hazel	Oct. 25, 1939	Mount Dennis	62.50 per mo.	Typist
McCleary, James	Nov. 6, 1939	Toronto	85.00 per mo.	Clerk
Campbell, Evelyn B.	Nov. 10, 1939	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Stenographer
Armstrong, Frances	Dec. 1, 1939	Humber Bay	62.50 per mo.	Clerk and Typist
Forbes, Josephine M.	Dec. 1, 1939	Toronto	90.00 per mo.	Aide, Occupational Therapy Dept.
On leave since Jan. 8, 1941—active service.				
Smith, Dorothy E.	Dec. 11, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Perelman, Sally	Dec. 11, 1939	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
Fortune, Geo. F.	Dec. 18, 1939	Toronto	100.00 per mo.	Clerk
Manson, Irwin	Jan. 2, 1940	Harrowsmith	80.00 per mo.	Clerk
Edwards, Eleanor I.	Jan. 22, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Birk, Barbara	Mar. 2, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Bastedo, Gilbert N.	Mar. 26, 1940	Toronto	100.00 per mo.	Utility Clerk
Bee, Evelyn I.	Apr. 22, 1940	Paris	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
Preston, Dr. F. C.	Apr. 24, 1940	Malton	3,000 per yr.	Medical Officer
Stewart, Victoria E.	May 20, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Resigned Nov. 30, 1940.				
Fleming, James	May 28, 1940	Toronto	75.00 per mo.	File Clerk
On leave since Oct. 28, 1940—active service.				

Name	Date of Appointment	Address at Date of Appointment	Commencing Salary	Official Title
Black, Elsie J.	June 10, 1940	Paris	\$65.00 per mo.	Computer, Typist
Left service Nov. 26, 1940, for another position.				
Culliford, Alma G.	June 10, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
MacFarlane, Jessie	June 11, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Stoddart, Geo. W. W.	June 17, 1940	Toronto	25.00 per wk.	Assessment Investigator
Bloss, Wm. E.	June 18, 1940	Toronto	100.00 per mo.	Clerk, Rehabilitation Dept.
Kerr, Wm. R.	July 2, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	File Clerk
Gallagher, Rita	July 11, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Poole, Geo. R.	Sept. 3, 1940	Ridgeway	100.00 per mo.	Clerk
Flaherty, Stanley J.	Sept. 3, 1940	Toronto	45.00 per mo.	Office Boy
Neilson, Gregor	Sept. 4, 1940	Sudbury	50.00 per mo.	Junior Technician, Silicosis Station
Dwyer, Margaret M.	Sept. 9, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Assistant Claimants' Interviewer
Campbell, Jean H.	Sept. 9, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Stenographer
Nelles, Dr. John V.	Sept. 16, 1940	Ottawa	3,000 per yr.	Medical Officer, Silicosis Station
Dunlop, Helen C. W.	Sept. 16, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Hills, E. John	Sept. 23, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Ellis, Robt. C.	Oct. 1, 1940	Toronto	100.00 per mo.	P. R. Auditor
Bradwin, Meta	Oct. 7, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Clerk
Bickerton, Geo.	Oct. 7, 1940	Toronto	110.00 per mo.	Assessment Investigator
Services terminated Dec. 7, 1940.				
Grove, Ethel M.	Oct. 12, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Hayman, Elda A.	Oct. 14, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Crisp, Richard S.	Oct. 15, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Junior Clerk
McKay, Frances M.	Oct. 21, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Torrance, Mary F.	Oct. 22, 1940	Toronto	80.00 per mo.	Aide, Physiotherapy Clinic
Left Feb. 28, 1941, to be married.				
McConnell, Mary H.	Oct. 22, 1940	Toronto	80.00 per mo.	Aide, Physiotherapy Clinic
Butler, Kenneth R.	Oct. 28, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Audit Clerk
Cheyne, William J.	Oct. 28, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Campbell, Barbara H.	Nov. 1, 1940	Timmins	62.50 per mo.	Steno., Silicosis Stn.
Spence, Elsie W.	Nov. 1, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer
Beamish, Elizabeth A.	Nov. 1, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Gilbert, Ruth M.	Nov. 1, 1940	Paris	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Rogers, Dorothy H.	Nov. 1, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Stenographer
Langford, Doris	Nov. 1, 1940	Mitchell	62.50 per mo.	Typist
Munroe, Alvin F.	Nov. 1, 1940	Ottawa	110.00 per mo.	P. R. Auditor
Chappel, Ruth E.	Nov. 4, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Lavery, Christine V.	Nov. 11, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Bourke, Margaret C.	Nov. 11, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Cain, Mrs. Lulu M.	Nov. 13, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Myatt, Phyllis E.	Nov. 13, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Somerville, Mrs. Emma	Nov. 25, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Stenographer
Resigned Feb. 18, 1941.				
Sedgwick,				
Mrs. E. Marion	Dec. 2, 1940	Toronto	75.00 per mo.	Clerk
Steel, Margaret	Dec. 2, 1940	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	File Clerk
Jeffrey, Emily	Dec. 2, 1940	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Stenographer
Sayers, Harry W. R.	Dec. 9, 1940	Richmond Hill	100.00 per mo.	P. R. Auditor
Belfie, Shirley H.	Jan. 6, 1941	Waterford	62.50 per mo.	Typist and Clerk
Smith, N. Fae	Jan. 10, 1941	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Typist
Bolton, Dorelle A.	Jan. 13, 1941	Toronto	80.00 per mo.	Aide, Occupational Therapy Clinic
Youles, Gladys	Jan. 15, 1941	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
McRobert, June	Jan. 20, 1941	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
McArthur, Winnifred	Jan. 20, 1941	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
Costigan, Helen E.	Jan. 20, 1941	Long Branch	62.50 per mo.	Clerk
O'Connor, Alice	Jan. 21, 1941	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Clerk, Clinic
Graham, Ralph	Feb. 1, 1941	Weston	110.00 per mo.	Technician, Silicosis Station
Lang, John	Feb. 1, 1941	Kirkland Lake	2,000 per yr.	Supt. Mine Rescue Station
Pless, Katherine	Feb. 3, 1941	Toronto	65.00 per mo.	Typist and Clerk
Payne, Walter J.	Feb. 3, 1941	St. John's, Newfoundland	75.00 per mo.	Technician, Silicosis Station

Name	Date of Appointment	Address at Date of Appointment	Commencing Salary	Official Title
Taylor, Mrs. Mary	Feb. 7, 1941	Toronto	\$45.00 per mo.	Supervisor Lunch Room
McDermid, Barbara E.	Feb. 17, 1941	Toronto	80.00 per mo.	Aide, Physiotherapy Clinic
Hales, Wm. G. E.	Mar. 1, 1941	Toronto	95.00 per mo.	Utility Clerk
Pinkham, Neil W.	Mar. 3, 1941	Toronto	75.00 per mo.	Clerk
Auston, Frances B.	Mar. 3, 1941	Toronto	80.00 per mo.	Aide, Physiotherapy Clinic
Skells, Edna F.	Mar. 6, 1941	Toronto	62.50 per mo.	Stenographer

Name	Official Title	Salary	Date of Termination of Services
Faulkner, Dr. Geo.	Medical Officer and X-Ray Technician, Silicosis Stn.	\$250.00 per mo.	June 30, 1938
Shoemaker, John R.	P. R. Auditor	25.00 per week	Aug. 20, 1938
Carling, Russell J.	P. R. Auditor	30.00 per week	Sept. 15, 1938
Clark, Robt.	Technician, Silicosis Station	40.00 per week	Jan. 23, 1939
Young, Russell B.	Pensions Investigator	115.00 per month	Jan. 28, 1939
Cuthbert, John A.	P. R. Auditor	30.00 per week	Apr. 30, 1939
MacMillan, Norman	Clerk	95.00 per month	June 30, 1940
Kennedy, W. J.	Assessment Investigator	1,800 per year	Oct. 31, 1940
Bickerton, Geo. M.	Assessment Investigator	110.00 per month	Dec. 7, 1940

The services of the above-mentioned members of the staff were discontinued because they were found not suitable for the work.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 96):—

1. Has the ministry any knowledge of cessation of mining activity in and about Kirkland Lake, and if so, what are the reasons.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1. No. There have been changes in the tonnage of ore treated from time to time, but these changes, including réduction of tonnage, are matters of engineering policy and certainly do not indicate cessation of mining activities in and about Kirkland Lake.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 100):—

1. Are any Issuers of Automobile Licenses acting as Insurance Agents.
2. If so, give names and addresses.

The Honourable the Attorney-General replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. Mr. Homer Lockhart, Sarnia, Ontario; Mr. Cephas Sleep, Port Perry, Ontario; Mr. David T. Hodgson, Bracebridge, Ontario; Mr. A. Wilson Lang, Timmins, Ontario.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 52), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act.

Referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be referred back to the Committee on Private Bills for further consideration.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 56), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 5.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Nixon (Brant)—On Wednesday next—The School Law Amendment Act, 1941.

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That this House will on next, resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

- (a) That payment of \$500,000.00 out of the Highway Improvement Fund to The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for the credit of the account of the railway from the City of Toronto to the Village of Port Credit, and the railway from the Village of Port Credit to the City of St. Catharines which were authorized and undertaken under the

Hydro-Electric Railway Act, 1914, on the books of the Commission as a consideration for the transfer by the Commission to His Majesty, represented by the Minister of Highways for Ontario, of the lands described in Schedule "A" to Bill No. 71, "An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Railways", be validated and confirmed; and

- (b) That the liabilities of the said railways outstanding after the reductions indicated in the said Bill and amounting to \$1,246,622.82 as of the 31st day of March, 1941, be assumed by the Province and be paid by the Treasurer of Ontario to the Commission out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 18th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Tuesday), March 18th, at 10.30 a.m.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Board of Park Management of the City of Hamilton, praying that an Act may pass incorporating a body to be known as Royal Botanical Gardens and authorizing the transfer to the said Corporation the property known as Royal Botanical Gardens.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Third Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 15), An Act to incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting a Trust Settlement of the late Peter Birtwistle and the Corporation of the Borough of Colne (England).

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia.

Mr. Glass, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following as their Fourth and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Standing Committee on Standing Orders has carefully examined the following Petitions and finds the notices as published in each case sufficient:—

Of the Corporation of the Town of Timmins praying that an Act may pass authorizing the Town of Timmins to collect poll tax for residents of the Town from employers of such men who are employed outside the Town limits.

Of the Corporation of the County of Waterloo, praying that an Act may pass to validate an agreement made by the Petitioner with the Corporation of the City of Galt and the Corporation of the City of Kitchener.

In connection with Bill (No. 24), "An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens" your Committee recommends that this Bill be introduced in the House and be referred for consideration by the Committee on Private Bills, free from the requirements of Rule No. 66 regarding advertising of notice and that the provisions of Rule No. 66 be suspended so far as they relate to this Bill.

Ordered, That Bill (No. 24), "An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens" be introduced in the House and referred for consideration by the Committee on Private Bills, free from the requirements of Rule No. 66 regarding advertising of notice and that the provisions of Rule No. 66 be suspended so far as they relate to this Bill.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 22), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Timmins." *Mr. Habel.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 23), intituled, "An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt." *Mr. Smith.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Bill (No. 24), intituled, "An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens." *Mr. Newlands.*

Referred to the Committee on Private Bills.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 21):—

1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. \$365,159.67. 2. 158. 3. \$15,324.16.

Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 51):—

1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$13,230.73 was received by the Province prior to the Fort being occupied by the Dominion Government. 2. No. 3. See answer to (2). 4. No. 5. See answer to (4). 6. Yes. 7. The Fort being used for war purposes, the Dominion Government assumes all responsibility. 8. No.

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 71):—

1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. 1,854.64. 2. 272.37.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 79):—

1. How many tourist booklets were purchased in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939 and 1940, and during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. From whom were the books purchased. 3. What was the unit price in each case and what was the total amount paid the vendor in each case. 4. Who supplied the photographs and what was the total amount paid to each person supplying photographs in each of the periods mentioned in (1).

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1, 2, 3 and 4. The Ontario Booklets have been prepared by The Travel and Publicity Bureau and not purchased as a unit. Paper, plates and cover designs

were bought separately and then contract for printing let. Practically all photographs were supplied by Canadian National Railways, Canadian Pacific Railways, Dominion Travel Bureau, Ontario Highways Department, various municipalities and tourist resorts. Numbers and costs of the booklet are as follows:—

Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939: George Davis Company—purchase of plates, \$795.60; Provincial Paper Mills—paper, \$6,887.29; Brigdens Limited—design and original plates and nickletypes for cover, \$500.40; London Printing & Lithographing Co., Ltd.—printing 160,200 copies, \$3,992.85; Total, \$12,176.14. Northern Ontario Booklet, preparation and printing 81,017 copies—Rolfe, Clarke, Stone, Ltd., \$5,161.36.

Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940: “Travel Ontario on the King’s Highways”—Royal Year Official Travel Booklet—Leslie M. Smith, cover design and plates, \$310.00; Sutherland Press, printing and pebbling cover, \$1,129.27; Bomac Engravers, Ltd., \$3,403.61; Paper—Provincial Paper Mills & Alliance Paper Mills, \$6,733.34; London Printing & Lithographing Co., Ltd.—printing 156,350 copies, \$5,133.45; Total, \$16,709.67. Northern & Northwestern Ontario Booklet, Canadian Geographical Society—preparation and printing 50,000 copies, \$5,000.00; 16,675 additional copies of previous Ontario Booklet with electros and cartons, Alex Anderson, printer, \$1,412.36.

Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1941: “Ontario Welcomes You”—Official travel booklet—preparation of cover, Bomac Engravers, Ltd., \$172.29; Paper—Provincial Paper Mills & Alliance Paper Mills, \$4,519.48; Printing 102,950 copies, London Printing & Lithographing Co., Ltd., \$3,009.91; Total, \$7,701.68. “Northern and Northwestern Ontario Booklet”—preparation and printing 103,800 copies at .06c, Canadian Geographical Society, \$6,228.00.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 93):—

1. During the fiscal year 1941, what quantities of sand have been bought by the Government up to December 31st, 1940, in connection with paving and other works incidental to completion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Burlington and Niagara Falls, specifying: (a) Quantity of sand purchased from each company, firm or individual; (b) Unit price with respect to each purchase and total amount paid to each company, firm or individual; (c) Indicating whether purchases were made by competitive tender; whether the lowest tender was accepted in each case and if not, give complete list of tenders with reason why lowest tender was not accepted.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. None.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That when this House adjourns to-day it do stand adjourned until

four-thirty of the clock to-morrow afternoon out of respect to the memory of the late Joseph E. Thompson, former Speaker of this Legislative Assembly.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Duckworth,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The House then adjourned at 4.45 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario); also, An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939; also, An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company.

Mr. Acres—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Walter Woodward still Assistant Inspector under the Woodmen's Employment Act; if not, what is his present position. 2. What is his present salary.

Mr. Acres—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

Mr. Acres—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission and when was each appointed. 2. What is their rate of salary or other remuneration. 3. What other positions, if any, are held by the Commissioners with the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway or with the Ontario Government and state salaries or other remuneration in connection therewith.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Mr. Wishart Campbell employed in the Ontario Public Service. 2. If so, in what capacity. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. Does he give full time to his duties in the public service.

Mr. Elgie—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. As of January 1st, 1935, and January 1st, 1941, how many authorities issued by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were in effect in the following categories in relation to the sale of beer and wine: (a) Standard hotels; (b) Social clubs; (c) Soldier and labour clubs; (d) Military messes; (e) Railways; (f) Steamships. 2. How many hotels in the Province on the dates mentioned in (1) had standard hotel licenses but without authority to sell beer or wine.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

Mr. Elgie—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a), (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine, (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

Mr. Elgie—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.

Mr. Downer—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?

Mr. Elgie—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

Mr. Downer—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for: (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

Mr. Henry—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid

each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

Mr. Henry—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).

Mr. Acres—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

Mr. Acres—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many members of the Civil Service of Ontario are over the age of 70, specifying: (a) Number drawing superannuation; (b) Number continuing to draw salary but not superannuation.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the rate of provincial per diem paid or payable to Sanatoria for Consumptives and the total amount of provincial grant to Sanatoria for Consumptives paid in each hospital year from October 1st, 1933, to September 30th, 1940. 2. Has the rate been determined for the hospital year commencing October 1st, 1941, and if so, what is it. 3. Does the per diem rate vary from year to year, and, if so, how is it determined.

Mr. Henry—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Under what terms was the Toronto Gaol Farm for Women taken over by the Province of Ontario from the City of Toronto and when. 2. What has been the cost to the Government as to operating the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Women as a mental hospital since opening as such giving amounts for each fiscal year and specifying: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 3. State average number of patients in residence for each fiscal year since opening and number in residence December 31st, 1940. 4. State average number of staff for each fiscal year since opening and total staff as of December 31st, 1940.

MEMORANDUM

Notice has this day been posted in the Lobby that the following Private Bills will be considered by the Select Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills on or after Monday, the 24th day of March next:—

Bill (No. 22), intituled, "An Act respecting the Town of Timmins."

Bill (No. 23), intituled, "An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt."

Bill (No. 24), intituled, "An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens."

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Wednesday), March 19th, at 10.00 a.m., for organization and business.

The Standing Committee on Legal Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Wednesday), March 19th, at 10.00 a.m., for organization and business.

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PRAYERS.

4.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Strachan, from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills, presented their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 41), "An Act to amend The Magistrates Act."

Bill (No. 57), "An Act to amend The Jurors Act."

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 87):—

1. Since August 31st, 1934, what is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds bought in by the Government. 2. What is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds still outstanding, giving details as to the various issues.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

Series	Succession Duty		Retired at Maturity	Outstanding as at March 14th, 1941
	Free Bonds and Stock Outstanding, August 31st, 1934	Purchased for Cancellation Prior to Maturity		
3½% Bonds and Stock, due July 1st, 1936	\$ 148,000.00	\$ 97,350.00	\$ 50,650.00	\$
3½% Bonds and Stock, Series "A"	665,950.00	356,300.00	309,650.00	. . . . .
3½% Bonds and Stock, Series "B"	224,000.00	217,000.00	. . . . .	7,000.00
3½% Bonds and Stock, Series "C & D"	1,188,400.00	559,100.00	. . . . .	629,300.00
	<u>\$2,226,350.00</u>	<u>\$1,229,750.00</u>	<u>\$360,300.00</u>	<u>\$ 636,300.00</u>
4% Inscribed Stock	1,547,175.70	5,840.00	. . . . .	1,541,335.70
4½% Inscribed Stock	834,412.54	98,720.32	. . . . .	735,692.22
	<u>\$4,607,938.24</u>	<u>\$1,334,310.32</u>	<u>\$360,300.00</u>	<u>\$2,913,327.92</u>

Of the \$636,300 of bonds and stock, \$7,000 mature and will be redeemed on the 1st of May, 1941, and \$629,300 mature and will be redeemed on the 1st of November, 1941.

Of the \$2,277,027.92 of 4 and 4½% outstanding inscribed stock payable in London, England, there is now held in the Provincial Sinking Funds, inscribed stock purchased for account of the Province of Ontario by the Trustees, the Bank of Montreal, London, England, as follows:—

4%	\$ 881,648.93
4½%	479,641.50
Total	<u>\$1,361,290.43</u>

In respect to the balance outstanding, viz.:—

4%	\$ 659,686.77
4½%	256,050.72
Total	<u>\$ 915,737.49</u>

arrangements are now in progress with the Bank of Canada to redeem all of the outstanding inscribed stock, amounting to \$915,737.49, in order to provide additional Canadian dollars to the British Government to assist in war financing.

In the result, there will be no outstanding Province of Ontario Succession Duty free bonds, stocks or other obligations after November 1st, 1941.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 89):—

1. Who are the members of the Grand River Conservation Commission as provided by Chapter 15, Statutes of Ontario, 2 George VI, 1938, and when was each appointed and by whom. 2. Who are the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman and the Secretary-Treasurer of the Commission. 3. What are the names and addresses of the Board of Engineers and who is the Chairman. 4. What amount, if any, has been paid by the Government in connection with the Grand River conservation scheme. 5. What works have been completed to date under the Grand River conservation scheme, what remain to be completed and when is the scheme expected to be completed. 6. What is the estimated total cost of the scheme, what is the estimated share of the cost to each municipality which is a member and what is the estimated total cost to the Government.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

- | 1. Commissioners | Year Appointed | Municipality |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------------|
| E. T. Sterne..... | 1938 | Brantford |
| Mayor J. P. Ryan..... | 1940 | Brantford |
| F. P. Adams..... | 1938 | Brantford |
| Marcel Pequegnat..... | 1938 | Kitchener |
| George W. Gordon..... | 1938 | Kitchener |
| Mayor W. S. McKay..... | 1938 | Galt |
| William Philip..... | 1938 | Galt |
| Mayor J. P. McCammon..... | 1940 | Paris |
| Mayor William J. Pelz..... | 1941 | Preston |
| Mayor W. D. Brill..... | 1941 | Waterloo |
| Udney Richardson..... | 1938 | Elora |
| Hugh Templin..... | 1938 | Fergus |
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| 2. Chairman..... | William Philip | Galt |
| Vice-Chairman..... | Marcel Pequegnat | Kitchener |
| Secretary-Treasurer..... | F. P. Adams | Brantford |
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| 3. H. G. Acres..... | Chairman | Niagara Falls |
| C. C. Fairchild..... | O.L.S. | Brantford |
| Herbert Johnston..... | O.L.S. | Kitchener |
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4. Amount paid by Provincial Government to date, \$464,453.18.
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5. Work on the Shand Dam, located on the Grand River about three miles above the Municipality of Fergus, has been completed as follows:—
- (a) All earth excavation and fill has been completed.
 - (b) All concrete has been placed except a gap in the spillway section of the dam 40 feet wide and about 18 feet in height which was left to pass the spring floods. This can be closed as soon as the matter of the C.P.R. bridge located above the dam has been settled.
 - (c) The steel gates for regulating the flow of the river have been fabricated and will be put in place as soon as the gap in the spillway is closed.

- (d) Road diversions and property purchases are nearly completed. The remaining work on the Shand Dam will be completed this summer.
6. The estimated total cost of the Shand Dam project is \$1,652,333.00, which will be divided among the different governments and municipalities as follows:—

Total Estimated Cost.....	\$1,652,333.00
Provincial Government's Share, 37½%.....	\$619,624.00
Federal Government's Share, 37½%.....	619,624.00
Municipalities Share, 25%.....	413,085.00
	1,652,333.00

Municipalities' share divided as follows:—

Brantford.....	38.43%	\$158,748.57
Kitchener.....	28.76%	118,803.24
Galt.....	16.25%	67,126.31
Waterloo.....	6.00%	24,785.10
Preston.....	4.27%	17,638.73
Paris.....	3.47%	14,334.05
Fergus.....	2.02%	8,344.32
Elora.....	.80%	3,304.68
	100.00%	\$413,085.00

NOTE.—An application for the abandonment of the Fergus-Cataract branch of the C.P.R. line is now before the Board of Transport Commissioners for Canada. If the application is not granted a portion of the line will have to be relocated, which will increase the estimated cost by approximately \$220,000.00, of which increased amount the Province will be required to contribute 37½%; provision for this contingency has been provided for in the 1941-42 Estimates.

The construction of a dam at the outlet to the Luther Marsh has been considered but will not be proceeded with for the duration of the war; the aforementioned estimates do not include this project.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act, having been read, and a debate having arisen, after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Murray,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kennedy—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 1. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of

Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).

Mr. Duckworth—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

Mr. Duckworth—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Prisons, Gaol Farms, Industrial Farms or other penal institutions have been converted into Mental Hospitals by the present Government and are now operated as such. 2. Where are they located. 3. What were their former designations. 4. What was the patient population as of December 31st, 1940.

Mr. Challies—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What authorities for the sale of liquor are in force in the Town of Wallaceburg and state: (a) Name of hotel, club or as the case may be; (b) Name of authority holder; (c) Date authority originally granted.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was

date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.

Mr. Acres—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Fish and Game will meet in Committee Room No. 2 to-morrow (Thursday), March 20th, at 10.00 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), March 20th, at 10.30 a.m.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 20TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Fourth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

With respect to Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Teck, this Bill was withdrawn with the approval of the Committee. Your Committee would recommend that the fees less the penalties, if any, and the actual cost of printing be remitted.

Ordered, That the fees less the penalties, if any, and the actual cost of printing be remitted on Bill (No. 20), An Act respecting the Township of Teck, the same having been withdrawn with the approval of the Committee.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 72), intituled, "An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company." *Mr. Conant*.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 94):—

1. Are power users not given in their power contracts the exact voltage, to guide them in purchasing transformers, the Commission having in the contracts a clause "allowing for 10% more or less"—this leeway often causing great loss to power users. If such conditions exist, give reasons.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

Commercial power cannot be supplied by a Power Company on an economical basis at an exact predetermined voltage, and, in making contracts for a supply of power, it is standard practice to specify the normal voltage of supply in the power agreement and provide for a variation in voltage of 10 per cent above or below the normal voltage.

All Manufacturing Companies making transformers design them with taps by means of which power can be received at the delivered voltage, which may vary, as above set out, and by selection of the proper transformer tap deliver power to the Customer's motors at the voltage required. This standard practice does not result in loss to power users.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 95):—

1. Is it the policy of the Ontario Hydro Power Commission to require of persons, desiring the use of hydro in Northern Ontario, to make large deposits of cash (refusing to accept bonding companies' bonds) before the Commission will extend power service, while a competitive company in the same area does not demand cash guarantees. If so, why.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

In supplying power to mines in Northern Ontario, it has been the Commission's practice to ask customers operating new, undeveloped and unestablished mines to deposit satisfactory bonds with the Commission in amounts sufficient, so that should the customer default on his contract and/or cease taking power within two or three years after power is first supplied, the Commission is protected against loss in having to scrap the transmission line and equipment installed to serve the customer.

Should the customer, however, continue to take power, these bonds are returned to him on a standard basis, as set out in the power agreement.

It is our understanding that competitive Power Companies in the district also demand somewhat similar protection from new mining customers.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 107):—

1. Who are the members of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission and when was each appointed. 2. What is their rate of salary

or other remuneration. 3. What other positions, if any, are held by the Commissioners with the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway or with the Ontario Government and state salaries or other remuneration in connection therewith.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. A. H. Cavanagh, who was appointed as member and Vice-Chairman 28th April, 1936, and as Chairman 1st April, 1940. 2. No remuneration for these positions. 3. Mr. Cavanagh is also General Manager of the Railway at a salary of \$12,000 a year.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 108):—

1. Is Mr. Wishart Campbell employed in the Ontario Public Service. 2. If so, in what capacity. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. Does he give full time to his duties in the public service.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. No. 2, 3, 4 and 5. Answered by 1.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Strachan,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The House then adjourned at 5.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Dewan—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Milk Control Act; also, An Act to amend The Bees Act.

Mr. Reynolds—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.

Mr. Kennedy—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

Mr. Doucett—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; Northern Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

Mr. Macaulay—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, correspondence, memoranda, estimates, recommendations, rulings, directions, tenders, orders and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official, or employee, of the Government, respecting the installation of a lighting system on any part of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, and including documents relating to purchase of material and contracts relating to the installation.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'Clock P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 73), intituled, "An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario)."

Mr. Conant.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Bill (No. 74), intituled, "An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 98):—

1. How many miles of lighting system is installed on the Kingston Road east of Toronto. 2. When was this system put into operation. 3. Since the system was put in operation what have been the maintenance costs in each fiscal year including current, replacement of bulbs, repairs and all other items.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. 1.4. 2. January 2nd, 1940. 3. 1939-40 (3 months), \$475.38; 1940-41 (11 months), \$1,709.55.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 102):—

1. What mileage of paving, if any, has been done on the new four-lane highway between Highland Creek and Oshawa. 2. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1), what mileage of paving remains to be done. 3. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1): (a) What mileage of grading has been completed; (b) What mileage of grading remains to be done.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. None. 2. 17.2. 3. (a) 17.2 approximately 65% completed; (b) 17.2 approximately 35% to be completed.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 103):—

1. Is Walter Woodward still Assistant Inspector under the Woodmen's Employment Act; if not, what is his present position. 2. What is his present salary.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. \$250.00 a month.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 120):—

1. What was the rate of provincial per diem paid or payable to Sanatoria for Consumptives and the total amount of provincial grant to Sanatoria for Consumptives paid in each hospital year from October 1st, 1933, to September 30th, 1940. 2. Has the rate been determined for the hospital year commencing October 1st, 1941, and if so, what is it. 3. Does the per diem rate vary from year to year, and, if so, how is it determined.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

Provincial per diem grant for the	Adults	Infants	Indigents from Unorganized Territory	Total
Year ending Sept. 30, 1934...	\$.69 $\frac{3}{8}$	.....	\$2.00	\$ 738,397.54
Year ending Sept. 30, 1935...	.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	2.00	741,538.38
Year ending Sept. 30, 1936	.67 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	2.00	760,506.82
Year ending Sept. 30, 1937...	.57 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	2.00	670,860.35
9 months to June 30, 1938...	.57 $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	2.00—	
3 months to Sept. 30, 1938...	2.07 $\frac{1}{2}$	\$1.00	2.00	1,136,592.45
Year ending Sept. 30, 1939...	2.00	1.00	2.00	2,311,556.58
*3 months to Dec. 31, 1939...	2.00	1.00	2.00	581,428.94
Year ending Dec. 31, 1940...	2.00	1.00	2.00	2,370,531.00

*On October 1, 1939, the hospital year was changed to end of December 31st.

2. No. 3. Yes, but cannot exceed \$2.07½. It is determined on the basis of the actual financial status of the sanatoria following a study of the expense and revenue returns submitted to the Department.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 126):—

1. How many Prisons, Gaol Farms, Industrial Farms or other penal institutions have been converted into Mental Hospitals by the present Government and are now operated as such. 2. Where are they located. 3. What were their former designations. 4. What was the patient population as of December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. 3. 2. Langstaff, Concord and Fort William, Ontario. 3. Industrial Farm, Langstaff; Industrial Farm, Concord; Fort William Industrial Farm. 4. The patient population as of December 31st, 1940, is as follows:—

Langstaff.....	327	male	patients	in	residence
Concord.....	73	female	"	"	"
Fort William.....	90	male	"	"	"

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend The Natural Gas Conservation Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia, having been read,

And a debate having arisen,

After some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Heenan,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Monday next.

On motion of Mr. McQuesten, seconded by Mr. Dewan,

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the payment by the Government of certain moneys so called for by Bill (No. 71).

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved—(a) That payment of \$500,000.00 out of the Highway Improvement Fund to The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for the credit of the account of the railway from the City of Toronto to the Village of Port Credit, and the railway from the Village of Port Credit to the City of St. Catharines which were authorized and undertaken under The Hydro-Electric Railway Act, 1914, on the books of the Commission as a consideration for the transfer by the Commission to His Majesty, represented by the Minister of Highways for Ontario, of the lands described in Schedule "A" to Bill No. 71, "An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Railways," be validated and confirmed; and

(b) That the liabilities of the said railways outstanding after the reductions indicated in the said Bill and amounting to \$1,246,622.82 as of the 31st day of March, 1941, be assumed by the Province and be paid by the Treasurer of Ontario to the Commission out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, that the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved—(a) That payment of \$500,000.00 out of the Highway Improvement Fund to The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for the credit of the account of the railway from the City of Toronto to the Village of Port Credit, and the railway from the Village of Port Credit to the City of St. Catharines which were authorized and undertaken under the Hydro-Electric Railway Act, 1914, on the books of the Commission as a consideration for the transfer by the Commission to His Majesty, represented by the Minister of Highways for Ontario, of the lands described in Schedule "A" to Bill No. 71, "An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Railways", be validated and confirmed; and

(b) That the liabilities of the said railways outstanding after the reductions indicated in the said Bill and amounting to

\$1,246,622.82 as of the 31st day of March, 1941, be assumed by the Province and be paid by the Treasurer of Ontario to the Commission out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 71).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without Amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 62), An

Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor —

Annual Report of the Hospitals Division on Ontario Hospitals for the

Mentally Ill, Mentally Defective, Epileptic and Habituate Patients for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 15.*)

Also, Report of Provincial Auditor, 1939-40. (*Sessional Papers No. 27.*)

The House then adjourned at 3.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Conant—On Tuesday next—Resolution—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved

That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;
- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and
- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

Mr. Carr—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Immediately following prayers Prime Minister Hepburn announced that the Assembly was honoured by the presence of Mr. Wendell L. Willkie, "Good Will Ambassador from the United States," accompanied by Mrs. Willkie. Before presenting Mr. Willkie the Prime Minister officially welcomed Mrs. Willkie to the Legislative Assembly of Ontario and assured her that the people of Ontario were honoured by her presence.

Mr. Hepburn then introduced Mr. Willkie as a man "who has attained undying fame as a friend of Britain and a friend of humanity." He welcomed his great assistance in starting Canada's drive for her War Service Fund. Britain, he pointed out, is looking to Canada to do a great share in meeting the attacks of the Hun and nothing but an "all out" effort will be sufficient. Canada would measure up to her responsibilities and would, in common with other units of the British Empire, do her share in providing men, munitions and materials to aid in prosecuting the War to a successful conclusion.

"By his action in visiting Britain," said Mr. Hepburn, "by his actions there and in the United States, by his words and his enthusiasm, Mr. Willkie has demonstrated that he is one of those men who are prepared to sacrifice their own interests, to sacrifice their time and material prospects in order that freedom and democracy may be preserved on this Earth."

"The free people of the British Empire," he said, "and the enslaved nations of Europe looking longingly for deliverance, will never forget the prompt and efficient aid received by them from our guest of this afternoon."

"I have been much moved," said Mr. Willkie, "by the splendid reception we have received in Toronto. I have been much moved by the welcome extended to me when I recently had the pleasure of visiting Our Mother Country, England. For the people of the British Isles I cannot sufficiently express my admiration."

"I am doing what I am doing, I am saying what I am saying, in England, in the United States, in Canada, because to me, next to my family, liberty is the most precious thing in life. I am glad to be received in the Legislative Assembly of Ontario where the functions of our democratic liberty are being pursued."

Mr. Willkie declared that we must all admit that democracy has not functioned with the efficiency which could reasonably be demanded of it, that the leaders of democracy during the past twenty years had not measured up to the duties of their positions.

"The real test of the world to-day," he said, "is whether or not the Democratic system can be so effective as to compete successfully with the totalitarian system. The success of democracy in that test calls for a higher type of service than we have had from our public men in the past. I call upon you members of this Legislative Assembly of Ontario to give to the people a finer, higher type of leadership in order that our institutions may be preserved for us and for the world. We carry two flags, one to stop totalitarian aggression, and one to carry on the liberties handed down to us by our forefathers. Let us see that we carry them both to the utmost success."

Colonel Drew, leader of the Opposition, expressed the appreciation of the Assembly and of the packed galleries to Mr. and Mrs. Willkie.

"By two remarks, Sir," said Colonel Drew, "you have shown how far above party politics you have risen. When you said to the Senate Committee in Washington, 'He is my President,' you demonstrated your sincerity and breadth of vision; when, this afternoon, you referred to Great Britain as 'Our Mother Country' you raised yourself high above the common run of men and gave witness to that good feeling which has developed and will continue to develop between these great nations in whose hands rests the fate of the world."

Mr. Drew recalled that the Legislative Chamber had welcomed many distinguished visitors, notably, less than two years ago, our King and Queen. To-day we added an illustrious name to that list.

He called attention to the British and American flags suspended above the Throne, a new departure in honour of our guest and said, "We echo to the utmost the feeling expressed by you regarding the preservation of freedom. We are sitting to-day beneath two flags which represent that feeling and we are sure that those two flags together will preserve that freedom for the world."

The Prime Minister then moved, seconded by Mr. Drew, and it was unanimously

Resolved, That this Legislative Assembly of Ontario in Parliament assembled desires to express and to record on the Journals of the House the appreciation of its Members, and of the people of Ontario, whom they represent, of the action of Mr. Wendell Willkie in visiting Ontario and in addressing this Assembly, and to assure him that his attitude in aid of the defence of the British Empire has secured for him the affection and admiration of all the people of Canada. And this Assembly further desires to express through Mr. Willkie to the President and

the people of the United States this token of the sincere gratitude of Ontario for the action taken by the Government of that Country in support of democracy and freedom in our World.

The Prime Minister then moved that, out of respect to the Assembly's distinguished guest, the House adjourn.

And the House was accordingly adjourned at 3.30 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Conant—On Wednesday next—The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Tuesday), March 25th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 23

MONDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1941

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TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 25TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was brought up and laid upon the Table:—

By Mr. Strachan, the Petition of the Corporation of the City of Toronto.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Fifth Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 75), intituled, "An Act to amend The Bees Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 76), intituled, "An Act to amend The Milk Control Act." *Mr. Dewan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 77), intituled, "The School Law Amendment Act, 1941." *Mr. Nixon* (Brant)

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Murphy asked the following Question (No. 75):—

1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. No one. 2. No one. 3. See answer to (2).

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 99):—

1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. From the Windermere Cut-off to Thorold Road—36.5 miles. 2. All of the portion mentioned in (1) has been provided with a lighting system. 3. On the portion mentioned in (1) the amount spent to date is \$263,432.82. The estimated cost of completing the work is \$15,000.00. 4. On the portion mentioned in (1) the per light cost of installation is \$133.28. 5. All items of equipment purchased by Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. 6. Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario at actual cost. 7. (a) \$25,000.00; (b) \$7,500.00.

Mr. Elgie asked the following Question (No. 109):—

1. As of January 1st, 1935, and January 1st, 1941, how many authorities issued by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were in effect in the following categories in relation to the sale of beer and wine: (a) Standard hotels; (b) Social clubs; (c) Soldier and labour clubs; (d) Military messes; (e) Railways; (f) Steam-

ships. 2. How many hotels in the Province on the dates mentioned in (1) had standard hotel licenses but without authority to sell beer or wine.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1.	Jan. 1st, 1935	Jan. 1st, 1941
(a) Hotels, Standard.....	1,102	1,197
(b) Clubs, Social.....	110	132
(c) Clubs, Veteran and Labour.....	81	105
(d) Military Messes.....	61	159
(e) Railways.....	1	1
(f) Steamships.....	4	10
(Steamship Authorities shown were not in operation on January 1st, 1935, or 1941.)		

2.	Jan. 1st, 1935	Jan. 1st, 1941
Hotels, Standard.....	215	121
(Without Authorities.)		

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 119):—

1. How many members of the Civil Service of Ontario are over the age of 70, specifying: (a) Number drawing superannuation; (b) Number continuing to draw salary but not superannuation.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) 13; (b) 8.

NOTE:—When a superannuated Civil Servant is retained, his salary is reduced by the amount of his allowance.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 128):—

1. What authorities for the sale of liquor are in force in the Town of Wallaceburg and state: (a) Name of hotel, club or as the case may be; (b) Name of authority holder; (c) Date authority originally granted.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

HOTELS AND CLUBS IN WALLACEBURG, ONTARIO

(a) Name of Hotel or Club	(b) Name of Authority Holder	(c) Date of Ori- ginal Issue
Kent Hotel.....	C. Van Watteghem.....	6th Nov., 1939
Tecumseh Hotel.....	A. J. Mahoney.....	31st July, 1934
Wallaceburg Hotel.....	H. C. Hunter.....	23rd July, 1934
Canadian Legion, Branch No. 18....	Same as (a).....	25th July, 1934

In respect to Question (No. 97) regarding the holders of beverage room authorities in Toronto, the Hon. Mr. Nixon requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Murphy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing:—

1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.

Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall.

Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur.

Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea.

Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium.

Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph.

Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement.

Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act.

Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act.

Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act.

Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests.

Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act.

Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Doucett,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House, dated March 25th, 1941,

That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnership, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated. (*Sessional Papers No. 47.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.

Mr. Stewart—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

Mr. Elgie—On Thursday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox)—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions were granted in each of the Counties of Prince Edward, Hastings, Northumberland and Lennox and Addington in each of the years 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, and the amounts thereof. 2. How many Mothers' Allowances were granted in each of the foregoing counties in each of the aforesaid years and the amount thereof.

Mr. Doucett—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—In connection with the advertisement regarding the Rowell-Sirois Conference entitled "These Are the Facts": 1. What was the amount paid for the stereotyped plates and mounting for same. 2. What was the cost of expressing these plates to the different newspapers which carried this advertisement throughout the Province. 3. What was the cost of wiring, telephoning, etc., instructions regarding these advertisements to the newspapers carrying same. 4. Did all newspapers in Ontario get this advertisement. If not, what newspapers did not, and why.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Agriculture will meet in Committee Room No. 2, to-morrow (Wednesday), March 26th, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Wednesday), March 26th, at 10.30 a.m. for organization and business.

No. 24

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Petition was read and received:—

Of the Corporation of the City of Toronto, praying that the Legislative Assembly appoint a Commission of Experts to revise The Assessment Act.

Mr. Carr, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law, presented their First Report, which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with one amendment:—

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Your Committee beg to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 78), intituled, "An Act to amend The Municipal Act." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Elgie asked the following Question (No. 112):—

1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Robertson, Robinson, McCannell & Dick, Chartered Accountants, Toronto. 2. This firm upon appointment commenced their duties on April 1st, 1940, and from that date to February 28th, 1941, have been paid \$12,066.63. During the fiscal years from November 1st, 1934, to March 31st, 1940, the Auditors of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were Brokenshire, Scarff and Co., Chartered Accountants, of Windsor and Toronto, and were paid as follows:—

For 5 months ending March 31st, 1935.....	\$ 4,298.22
For 12 months ending March 31st, 1936.....	10,000.00
For 12 months ending March 31st, 1937.....	13,548.87
For 12 months ending March 31st, 1938.....	13,000.00
For 12 months ending March 31st, 1939.....	13,237.82
For 12 months ending March 31st, 1940.....	15,000.00

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 121):—

1. Under what terms was the Toronto Gaol Farm for Women taken over by the Province of Ontario from the City of Toronto and when. 2. What has been the cost to the Government as to operating the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Women as a mental hospital since opening as such giving amounts for each fiscal year and specifying: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 3. State average number of patients in residence for each fiscal year since opening and number in residence December 31st, 1940. 4. State average number of staff for each fiscal year since opening and total staff as of December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. The Women's Farm at Concord (not including farm lands) was leased from the City of Toronto for a period of three years from March 1st, 1937, at a rental of \$3,500.00 per annum and taxes to provide accommodation for mental tuberculosis patients. The Province agreed to maintain the buildings and plant and to restore same to their original condition on the expiration of the lease. A supplementary agreement was entered into with the City of Toronto when the lease expired in February, 1940, which provided for occupancy by the Province of the whole institution for the duration of the war without payment of rent, but reimbursing the City for fire insurance premiums and such municipal taxes as may be payable to the Township of Vaughan.

2. (a) None.

(b) By Public Works Department:

Year ending March 31st, 1937.....	\$1,671.99
Year ending March 31st, 1938.....	1,305.28
Year ending March 31st, 1939.....	457.57
Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	178.00

By Health Department:

Year ending March 31st, 1937.....	\$ 6,367.33
Year ending March 31st, 1938.....	44,491.71
Year ending March 31st, 1939.....	45,193.18
Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	39,968.44

3. Year ending March 31st, 1938.....	70
Year ending March 31st, 1939.....	73
Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	67
December 31st, 1940.....	73
4. Year ending March 31st, 1938.....	24
Year ending March 31st, 1939.....	26
Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	23
December 31st, 1940.....	40

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 130):—

1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario.
2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. The Honourable Arthur St. Clair Gordon. 2. April 29th, 1939. 3. \$8,000.00 per annum.
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The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Challies,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Thursday next.

The Provincial-Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Copy of agreement between the Government of Ontario and the Government

of Canada regarding the proposed Great Lakes-St. Lawrence Basin Development, together with correspondence, documents and engineer's reports regarding the same. (*Sessional Papers No. 48.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Habel—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of money were paid to each Minister of the Government for travelling expenses from January 1st, 1930, to July 12th, 1934. 2. What Ministers of the Government had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use during this period and what was the total cost for operating each car, including wages, uniforms and expenses of chauffeur. 3. (a) What Ministers of the Government have had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use since July 12th, 1934; (b) What was the cost of same.

Mr. Drew—On Friday next—Resolution—That the proposed St. Lawrence development and other public undertakings throughout the Province create an urgent demand for effective planning and supervision of remodelling, re-establishment, reclamation and reconstruction, which in the opinion of this Legislature call for the immediate creation of an Ontario Town and Country Planning Commission with authority to recommend and supervise plans for reconstruction, reclamation, and development in the rural and urban areas throughout the Province of Ontario wherever deemed necessary and advisable.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Thursday), March 27th, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 25

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1941

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Miller, from the Standing Committee on Fish and Game, presented their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Standing Committee on Fish and Game begs leave to report as follows:—

Your Committee held two meetings, the first on March 19th, the second on March 20th. Delegations were heard from the Northern Ontario Tourist Trade Association, Sudbury Sportsmen's Association, Essex County Sportsmen's Association, Kent County Sportsmen's Association, Norfolk County Sportsmen's Association and Peterborough Game and Fish Association. Recommendations submitted to the Committee by these bodies were referred to the Department.

In connection with a recommendation for a Provincial Rod License, Hon. Mr. Nixon stated that there could be no further taxation of any type this year.

Mr. Elliott, from the Standing Committee on Private Bills, presented their Sixth and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting The Royal Botanical Gardens.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins.

Mr. Drew asked the following Question (No. 60):—

1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading "These are the Facts." 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$21,381.10. 2. James Fisher Advertising Agency. 3. The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer. 4. Arrangements were made through the James Fisher Advertising Agency. 5. Answered by No. 4.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 101):—

1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Services are under observation of inspectors of Department of Highways and complaints regarding inadequacy of service are promptly investigated and readjustment of schedules of operations required where necessary or desirable in the public interest. 2. Yes. Regulations passed pursuant to the Public Vehicles Act restrict standing passengers to one-third of the number for which seats are provided. Regulations are enforced by special inspectors attached to the Department of Highways and by Provincial Police Officers. 3. See answer to 2.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 106):—

1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940:

(a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to:
(a) Silver; (b) Platinum.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1. GOLD			
Year ending December	(a) Ounces	(b) Value \$	Value \$ per ounce
1930.....	1,736,012	\$ 35,923,260	\$20.69
1931.....	2,085,815	45,043,837	21.60
1932.....	2,287,394	53,418,449	23.35
1933.....	2,155,518	61,044,951	28.32
1934.....	2,105,341	72,808,688	34.58
1935.....	2,220,336	78,068,169	35.16
1936.....	2,378,494	83,308,179	35.02
1937.....	2,587,094	90,508,689	34.98
1938.....	2,896,477	101,945,441	35.20
1939.....	3,086,060	112,114,762	36.33
1940 (Preliminary).....	3,261,334	125,566,006	38.50

2 (a) SILVER			
1930.....	10,531,243	\$ 3,998,112	\$.38
1931.....	6,603,027	1,880,860	.28
1932.....	6,216,490	1,910,937	.31
1933.....	5,375,030	1,912,934	.36
1934.....	5,523,938	2,600,393	.47
1935.....	6,320,670	4,068,906	.64
1936.....	5,218,354	2,325,850	.45
1937.....	4,701,865	2,093,764	.45
1938.....	4,316,558	1,865,798	.43
1939.....	4,690,166	1,891,437	.40
1940 (Preliminary).....	5,477,701	2,026,749	.37

2 (b) PLATINUM METAL			
1930.....	34,000	\$ 1,542,172	\$45.358
1931.....	44,725	1,595,117	35.665
1932.....	27,151	1,091,674	40.207
1933.....	24,746	856,190	34.599
1934.....	116,177	4,488,712	38.691
1935.....	105,335	3,444,455	32.700
1936.....	131,551	5,319,922	40.440
1937.....	139,355	6,751,774	48.450
1938.....	161,310	5,196,279	32.213

1939 } No figures have been published for these years at request of the
1940 } Dominion Government as suppression of such information is
desirable as a war measure.

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 116):—

1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. Five Dentists employed.

(a) Name and Date of Appointment	(b) Name of Institution
Dr. H. B. Black—Nov. 19, 1927.....	Andrew Mercer Reformatory.
Dr. G. A. Cowan—Jan. 1, 1939.....	Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt.
Dr. R. E. Dinniwell—Sept. 24, 1934...	Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville.
Dr. J. H. Stitt—Jan. 1, 1939.....	Industrial Farm, Burwash.
Dr. E. S. Burrows—Jan. 1, 1939.....	Ontario Reformatory, Guelph.
Dr. W. S. Hand	} —As required.....Industrial Farm, Seagram.
Dr. R. A. Wylie	

(c) All appointments are for part time services.

(d) Basis of remuneration:

Mercer Reformatory.....	\$ 8.00 per half day.
Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt.....	10.00 per half day.
Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville	20.00 per day.
Industrial Farm, Burwash.....	20.00 per day.
Ontario Reformatory, Guelph.....	8.00 per half day.
Industrial Farm, Seagram.....	20.00 per day, plus Railway Fare.

(e) Amount Paid in Fiscal Year ending
March, 1940

		Apr. 1st to Dec. 31st, 1940
Dr. H. B. Black	—\$ 416.00	\$312.00
Dr. G. A. Cowan	— 920.00	770.00
Dr. R. E. Dinniwell	— 1,020.00	780.00
Dr. J. H. Stitt	— 1,080.00	840.00
Dr. E. S. Burrows	— 408.00	640.00
Dr. D. M. Foster	— 416.00	.....
Dr. W. G. S. McLennan	— 416.00	104.00 (3 months
Dr. W. S. Hand	— (plus \$3.15 exp.)	20.00 only)
Dr. R. A. Wylie	— (plus 17.00 exp.)	40.00

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 117):—

1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of

the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:

1. Judge J. F. McKinley, 2 Queen Street, Ottawa, Ontario—Appointed Jan. 12th, 1932, also appointed Chairman on same date; Mr. Leon J. Long, Stratford, Ontario—Appointed Nov. 23rd, 1932; Col. A. F. Hatch, 71 Melrose Avenue, Hamilton, Ontario—Appointed Oct. 17th, 1933; Mr. R. S. Clark, Guelph, Ontario—Appointed Jan. 22nd, 1936; Mrs. D. Strachan, Toronto, Ontario—Appointed Nov. 5th, 1935; Mr. W. B. Common, Department of Attorney-General, Toronto, Ontario—Appointed June 22nd, 1936.

2. (a) and (b)—

Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1938

	Allowance	Expenses
R. S. Clark.....	\$480.00	\$355.00
W. B. Common.....		56.90
A. F. Hatch.....	360.00	261.20
L. J. Long.....	510.00	592.50
J. F. McKinley.....	390.00	766.71
Mrs. D. Strachan.....	75.00	.....

Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1939

R. S. Clark.....	\$420.00	\$210.00
W. B. Common.....		27.60
A. F. Hatch.....	390.00	340.60
L. J. Long.....	525.00	642.70
J. F. McKinley.....	390.00	789.70
Mrs. D. Strachan.....	75.00	.....

Fiscal Year ending March 31st, 1940

R. S. Clark.....	\$315.00	\$128.00
A. F. Hatch.....	450.00	548.90
L. J. Long.....	540.00	717.60
J. F. McKinley.....	450.00	884.50
Mrs. D. Strachan.....	90.00	.....

3. \$15.00 per day. 4. 1938—R. S. Clark, \$1,000.00; L. J. Long, \$1,000.00. 1939—R. S. Clark, \$750.00; L. J. Long, \$750.00. 1940—Nil. 5. Extra responsibility, time and work because of absence and illness of other members of the Board of Parole. This was done with the consent of the Honourable the Provincial Secretary. 6. Special Warrants in accordance with Audit Act, Chapter 24, R.S.O. 1937, Section 13, subsection 1, clause B.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 124):—

1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1 (a) 1930.....	3,886
1931.....	5,779
1932.....	4,945
1933.....	8,077
1934.....	16,888
1935.....	9,440
1936.....	17,295
1937.....	15,292
1938.....	9,047
1939.....	6,772
1940.....	4,667

(These figures are given on the basis of calendar year rather than fiscal year in keeping with records available. As there is very little activity in the period January 1st to March 31st, there would be very little change in the figures on the fiscal year basis.)

	(b)	(c)
November, 1929, to October, 1930.....	100	362
November, 1930, to October, 1931.....	92	279
November, 1931, to October, 1932.....	110	222
November, 1932, to October, 1933.....	112	405
November, 1933, to October, 1934.....	127	415
November, 1934 to March, 1935.....	16	318
April, 1935, to March, 1936.....	107	495
April, 1936, to March, 1937.....	218	354
April, 1937, to March, 1938.....	259	786
April, 1938, to March, 1939.....	232	545
April, 1939, to March, 1940.....	319	704
April, 1940, to end of calendar year.....	219	415
2. 1930.....	7,432	
1931.....	6,982	
1932.....	5,702	
1933.....	7,278	
1934.....	12,068	
1935.....	10,179	
1936.....	13,131	
1937.....	13,855	
1938.....	9,669	
1939.....	7,713	
1940.....	5,470	

(Note explanatory remarks accompanying answer to 1 (a).)

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 132):—

Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

No teak wood authorized by the Commission for the finishing of any of its offices.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 134):—

1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

Year ending March 31st, 1939—\$24.92. Year ending March 31st, 1940—\$27.55.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Kirby—On Monday next—An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Mr. McQuesten—On Monday next—The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941.

Mr. Freeborn—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who have been members of the Liquor Control Board since its inception. 2. What were the salaries of the different members.

No. 26

THURSDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1941

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

On the motion of Mr. Nixon (Brant), seconded by Mr. Hipel,

Ordered, That the Provincial Auditor be and is hereby authorized to pay the salaries of the Civil Service employees and other necessary payments following the close of the present fiscal year on March 31st, 1941, and until Supply for the ensuing fiscal year is voted by this House, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriations following the voting of Supply.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act.
Mr. Houck.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Drew,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, correspondence, memoranda, estimates, recommendations, rulings, directions, tenders, orders and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official, or employee, of the Government, respecting the installation of a lighting system on any part of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, and including documents relating to purchase of material and contracts relating to the installation.

In respect to Question (No. 77) regarding the cost of planting trees and shrubs and sodding on Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, the Hon. Mr. Nixon requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Murphy, seconded by Mr. Stewart,

Ordered, That there by laid before this House a Return showing:—

1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

Mr. Reynolds asked the following Question (No. 36):—

1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. RURAL POWER DISTRICTS

SURPLUS OR DEFICIT, 1935 TO 1940 INCLUSIVE—EACH YEAR

Year	SURPLUS FOR YEAR		DEFICIT FOR YEAR	
	Amount	No. of Districts	Amount	No. of Districts
1935.....	\$124,482.71	67	\$ 97,172.05	104
1936.....	171,394.26	90	61,650.77	84
1937.....	197,595.72	85	100,231.14	92
1938.....	189,046.92	65	125,846.11	113
1939.....	247,322.42	67	195,435.31	117
1940.....	275,438.75	69	201,767.63	115

2. No change.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 122):—

1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 2. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows: —

1. Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1926.....	\$ 1,412.75
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1927.....	76,088.68
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1928.....	157,551.83
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1929.....	127,580.59
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1930.....	139,832.01
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1931.....	131,851.20
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1932.....	119,728.08
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1933.....	119,135.06
Fiscal year ending October 31st, 1934.....	131,447.74
November 1st, 1934, to March 31st, 1935.....	107,301.57
Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1936.....	131,928.13
Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1937.....	178,880.63
Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1938.....	234,941.97
Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1939.....	129,228.01
Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940.....	133,945.12
Total.....	<u>\$1,920,853.27</u>

2. \$65,959.02. 3. None. 4. There was a large amount owing by the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company up to the end of 1939, and this Company claimed that The Provincial Land Tax Act was not intended to apply to their land holdings; this contention has not been admitted by the Crown. However, a settlement has been effected between the Company and the Crown which is embodied in Bill No. 72, now before the House. Exemption has been granted generally to farmers in unorganized territory actually engaged in cultivating their lands and also to the owners of humble homes in hamlets which lack municipal organization. 5. Answered by (4).

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 127):—

1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

NIAGARA 25 AND 60 CYCLE SYSTEM

(a) Primary and Secondary Power.

	Total Peak Power Sold (Generated and Purchased Peak)			Additional Quantities which Cus- tomers were entitled to under Primary Contracts
	Total	Primary	Secondary	
January, 1939	1,412,064 H.P.	1,139,276 H.P.	272,788 H.P.	50,000 H.P.
November, 1939	1,485,925 "	1,285,523 "	200,402 "	35,000 "
December, 1939	1,514,879 "	1,262,064 "	252,815 "	30,000 "
January, 1940	1,507,775 "	1,286,595 "	221,180 "	32,000 "
November, 1940	1,537,265 "	1,341,822 "	195,443 "	27,000 "
December, 1940	1,589,544 "	1,336,059 "	253,485 "	24,000 "

NOTE:—The primary and secondary loads shown in the above table are the simultaneous quantities at the time of the total generated and purchased peak and, therefore, are not necessarily the maximum primary or secondary loads of the month.

(b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case as indicated in (a):

1939			
	January	November	December
Beaver Wood Fibre Co.	0 H.P.	4,021 H.P.	0 H.P.
Canadian Niagara Power Co.	105,496 "	9,383 "	83,914 "
Gatineau Power Co.	53,619 "	0 "	0 "
Interlake Paper Co.	6,702 "	7,373 "	0 "
North Amer. Cyanamid Co.	58,043 "	86,863 "	82,842 "
Ontario Paper Co.	40,885 "	85,389 "	81,367 "
Provincial Paper Co.	8,043 "	7,373 "	4,692 "
	272,788 "	200,402 "	252,815 "
1940			
	January	November	December
Canadian Niagara Power Co.	20,912 H.P.	59,786 H.P.	113,405 H.P.
Cedars Rapids Trans. Co.	24,933 "	49,464 "	48,525 "
North Amer. Cyanamid Co.	86,193 "	86,193 "	91,555 "
Ontario Paper Co.	80,429 "	0 "	0 "
Provincial Paper Co.	8,713 "	0 "	0 "
	221,180 "	195,443 "	253,485 "

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 143):—

In connection with the advertisement regarding the Rowell-Sirois Conference entitled "These are the Facts": 1. What was the amount paid for the stereotyped plates and mounting for same. 2. What was the cost of expressing these plates to the different newspapers which carried this advertisement throughout the Province. 3. What was the cost of wiring, telephoning, etc., instructions regarding these advertisements to the newspapers carrying same. 4. Did all newspapers in Ontario get this advertisement. If not, what newspapers did not, and why.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$2,379.49. 2. \$106.75. 3. \$88.83. 4. No. All daily newspapers and almost all weekly newspapers in Ontario received the advertisement. A list of the papers which did not receive the advertisement is not available but it is believed that the information was sufficiently advertised to bring it to the attention of every citizen in the Province.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Smith,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for the Second Reading of Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Frost,

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of Ontario I.O.O.F.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting the Royal Botanical Gardens.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act, having been read,

And a Debate having ensued,

After some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board of Ontario for the year 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 28.*)

Also, Report of the Commissioner of the Ontario Provincial Police from January 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 34.*)

Also, Return to an Order of the House dated March 28th, 1941, That there be laid before the House a Return showing—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to

Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs. (*Sessional Papers No. 49.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.10 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Tuesday next—An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act.

Mr. Challies—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission since February 1st, 1940, under The Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930.

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TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 31ST, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 80), intituled, "An Act to amend The Division Courts Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 81), intituled, "An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Black asked the following Question (No. 11):—

1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. Requested to resign. 2. Services no longer necessary. 3. \$5,000.00.
4. No. 5. No. 6. Mr. J. G. Morrison.

Mr. Henry asked the following Question (No. 72):—

1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North Limits of the City of Niagara Falls.
2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.

The Honourable The Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. 74.15.

2. Property.....\$ 2,123,402.38
- Structures..... 2,461,547.15
- Small structures, grading, drainage, lighting and paving... 8,662,105.33

\$13,247,054.86

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 73):—

1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936.
2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any sources whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Names and present monthly salaries and monthly increases with amounts paid since January, 1936 (all gross figures before deductions):—A. Aeberli, \$435.42; W. L. Amos, \$453.75; E. G. Archer, \$425.00, \$41.67; A. E. Davison, \$472.88; J. Dibblee, \$750.00, \$95.83, \$150.00; W. P. Dobson, \$600.00, \$47.08, \$25.00; H. C. DonCarlos, \$932.92; G. F. Drewry, \$504.17; T. U. Fairlie, \$525.00, \$42.08; D. Forgan, \$575.00; \$89.58, \$50.00; A. H. Frampton, \$450.00, \$96.06, \$100.00; A. C. Goodwin, \$425.00; \$41.67; W. G. Hanna, \$500.00, \$88.33; W. G. Hewson, \$459.17; Dr. T. H. Hogg, \$2,083.33, \$92.08, \$416.67, \$416.66; O. Holden, \$700.00, \$52.08, \$75.00; Hon. W. L. Houck, \$666.67; A. H. Hull, \$700.00, \$103.37; T. C. James, \$504.17; R. T. Jeffery, \$1,125.00, \$67.08, \$125.00; J. J. Jeffery, \$662.92; A. G. Lang, \$500.00, \$27.12; A. W. Manby, \$450.00, \$20.25, \$40.00, \$50.00; G. J. Mickler, \$459.17; T. R. Millar, \$460.00, \$46.75; O. S. Mitchell, \$450.00, \$75.00; J. R. Montague, \$460.00, \$27.25, \$45.00; H. J. Muehleman, \$550.00, \$24.58; A. H. McBride, \$504.17; M. J. McHenry, \$833.33; D. A. McKenzie, \$482.92; A. McPherson, \$450.00, \$36.25, \$50.00; G. Pace, \$482.92;

W. G. Pierdon, \$932.92; S. M. Richardson, \$482.92; F. A. Robertson, \$435.42; A. S. Robertson, \$465.00, \$38.33, \$15.00; H. D. Rothwell, \$500.00, \$20.83, \$20.00; B. O. Salter, \$475.00, \$39.58; G. Service, \$435.42; C. B. Sharpe, \$475.00, \$39.58; G. B. Smith, \$435.42; J. A. Smith, \$666.67; J. J. Traill, \$425.00, \$13.33; G. E. Waller, \$624.59; J. N. Wilson, \$459.17; E. M. Wood, \$450.00, \$75.22; R. B. Young, \$475.00, \$14.58, \$25.00. 2. The Commission's records do not contain this information.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 104):—

1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. Forest Areas Burned Over:

District	1937 (acres)	1938 (acres)	1939 (acres)	1940 (acres)
Sioux Lookout.....	88,079	4,840	4,774	80,445
Kenora.....	31,912	5,430	13,661	2,968
Fort Frances.....	299	98,454	117	4,010
Port Arthur.....	45,741	8,867	5,750	13,167
Kapuskasing.....	6,471	359	164	10,165
Cochrane.....	2,708	3,702	269	1,006
North Bay.....	7,238	870	214	527
Sudbury.....	22,984	3,477	2,146	2,539
Sault Ste. Marie.....	16,186	11,041	614	3,479
Parry Sound.....	1,479	256	181	1,240
Algonquin Park.....	1,189	414	290	1,269
Tweed.....	460	535	918	799
Totals.....	224,746	138,245	29,098	121,614

2. Estimated Quantities of Timber on Areas Burned Over:

	1937	1938	1939	1940
Sawlogs (F.B.M.).....	8,333,869	2,568,183	722,327	348,450
Pulpwood (Cords).....	442,660	117,386	17,615	77,082
Fuelwood (Cords).....	158,365	72,512	14,920	74,767
Ties (Pieces).....	51,007	5,165	664	8,690
Cedar Poles (Pieces).....	465	83	60	400
Cedar Posts (Pieces).....	7,285	2,665	1,835	375

Estimated Value of Timber on Areas Burned Over at Crown Stumpage Dues:

	1937	1938	1939	1940
Sawlogs.....	\$ 20,659.15	\$ 5,826.09	\$ 1,776.73	\$ 866.82
Pulpwood.....	556,178.38	84,774.64	22,274.10	85,421.70
Fuelwood.....	49,838.14	21,123.93	4,261.18	20,292.56
Ties.....	5,100.70	516.50	66.40	869.00
Cedar Poles.....	117.75	30.25	22.75	100.00
Cedar Posts.....	145.70	53.30	36.70	7.50
Totals.....	\$632,039.82	\$112,324.71	\$28,468.86	\$107,557.58

NOTE.—These figures include all timber in areas inaccessible and accessible, unmarketable and marketable.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 110):—

1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

The Honourable the Minister of Mines replied as follows:—

1. (a) Approximately 54,778 acres; (b) Approximately 883,120 acres. 2. Approximately 815,956 acres. 3. (1a) 5c. per acre; (1b) nil; (2) 5c. per acre. 4. Fiscal year 1939-40 (a) \$2,738.91; (b) \$40,797.82; (c) Nil. 5. (a) \$3,352.14; (b) \$20,696.54; (c) Nil. 6. (a) Nil; (b) No stakings were cancelled for non-payment of taxes, as unpatented claims are not subject to tax. 8,397 claims were cancelled for failure to perform work, non-renewal of license and non-application for patent; (c) 800.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 135):—

1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many

cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1.	12 months ending	March 31st, 1936.....	\$16,001,013.26
	12 " "	March 31st, 1937.....	17,201,669.29
	12 " "	March 31st, 1938.....	19,253,179.05
	12 " "	March 31st, 1939.....	20,125,036.04
	12 " "	March 31st, 1940.....	27,428,149.51

2. The Regulations passed pursuant to The Gasoline Tax Act provide, as follows:—

1.—(1) Where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that gasoline purchased by a city or separated town was purchased for the sole use of supplying motive power for commercial motor vehicles belonging to such city or separated town and used exclusively within the limits thereof, the Minister may upon the application of the clerk of such city or separated town, remit the amount of the charge or tax or any part thereof paid upon the purchase of such gasoline, to the city or separated town.

(2) Where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that gasoline has been purchased for a purpose other than that of supplying motive power for motor vehicles on the highways of Ontario, and has not or will not be used for such purpose, the Minister may upon the application of the purchaser of such gasoline remit the charge or tax paid by the purchaser.

(3) No such remission shall be made unless an application therefor in the form prescribed by the Minister, accompanied by properly receipted invoices, is forwarded to the Minister within six months from the date upon which payment was made for the gasoline in respect of which the remission is sought.

2.

TWELVE MONTHS ENDING

	Mar. 31/36	Mar. 31/37	Mar. 31/38	Mar. 31/39	Mar. 31/40
Farming.....	\$405,404.80	\$ 474,092.75	\$ 619,103.29	\$ 727,963.50	\$1,060,300.87
Manufacturing.....	122,173.91	338,679.34	401,562.60	356,186.92	515,988.74
Stationary Engines.....	105,162.04	187,256.22	159,458.22	136,657.28	165,044.47
Motor Boats.....	110,948.82	103,383.10	102,732.95	107,005.55	149,409.89
Contracting.....	79,173.78	62,111.14	50,956.14	53,549.13	76,566.32
Municipal Trucks.....	34,881.34	54,440.37	47,830.50	48,570.15	72,169.25
Cleaning.....	15,731.93	42,365.52	47,066.48	46,697.80	63,917.41
Aeroplanes.....	20,304.04	39,904.77	40,818.81	36,628.01	60,882.84
Government.....	7,582.73	6,274.95	5,789.97	7,218.70	9,616.16
Railways.....	24,446.30	38,784.26	33,493.21	19,005.86	34,396.57
Lumbering.....	21,676.85	35,450.43	44,995.10	42,052.27	57,963.11
Cities, Towns and Municipalities.....	13,881.25	31,249.41	13,564.17	11,382.88	14,575.78
American.....	17,651.77	25,800.06	25,227.06	27,176.58	38,905.41
Miscellaneous.....			16,416.08	1,152.51	3,053.57
	<u>\$979,019.56</u>	<u>\$1,439,792.32</u>	<u>\$1,609,014.58</u>	<u>\$1,621,247.14</u>	<u>\$2,322,790.39</u>

4. All prosecutions made under Criminal Code.

5. Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1936.....	\$261,930.26
“ “ “ March 31st, 1937.....	287,979.65
“ “ “ March 31st, 1938.....	322,299.10
“ “ “ March 31st, 1939.....	335,995.27
“ “ “ March 31st, 1940.....	346,276.95

Mr. Carr asked the following Question (No. 139):—

1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. Forest Areas Burned Over:

District	1930 (acres)	1931 (acres)	1932 (acres)	1933 (acres)
Hudson.....	153,035	4,736	454,665	22,169
Kenora.....	33,922	10,997	29,247	133,131
Rainy River.....			1,675	5,518
Port Arthur.....	448,033	27,622	40,675	18,721
Oba.....	43,881	30,320	33,504	94,088
Cochrane.....	4,711	8,141	39,540	8,173
North Bay.....	1,618	2,444	25,074	3,207
Sudbury.....	4,140	9,532	31,296	8,018
Sault Ste. Marie.....	11,311	24,323	3,726	37,924
Georgian Bay.....	1,483	4,110	1,166	16,369
Algonquin.....	5,719	11,161	15,539	1,592
Trent.....	3,956	4,901	2,914	1,048
Totals.....	711,809	138,287	679,021	349,958

2. Estimated Quantities of Timber on Areas Burned Over with Estimated Value at Crown Stumpage Dues:

	1933 Quantity	Value
Sawlogs (Feet Board Measure).....	3,542,120	\$ 8,816.03
Pulpwood (Cords).....	339,480	428,436.42
Fuelwood (Cords).....	30,423	10,905.59
Ties (Pieces).....	59,288	5,928.80
Cedar Poles (Pieces).....	110	55.00
Cedar Posts (Pieces).....	1,500	30.00
Total Value.....		<u>\$454,171.84</u>

NOTE.—These figures include all timber in areas inaccessible and accessible, unmarketable and marketable.

Statistics relating to quantities and values of timber on areas burned over were not collected prior to 1933.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation Limited.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario)

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 78), An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Referred to a Committee on Municipal Law.

Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting certain amendments to The Corporations Tax Act.

The Prime Minister acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;
- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and
- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, be amended so as to provide that—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby:
- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and
- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the payment of subsidies to producers of cheese and hogs in Ontario.

The Prime Minister acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

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- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

The Resolution having been read the second time, was agreed to, and referred to the House on Bill (No. 54), "An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario."

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia.

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of Ontario I.O.O.F.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt.

Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting the Royal Botanical Gardens.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without any amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to recommend that the Bill be referred back to the Committee on Legal Bills for further consideration.

Resolved, That Bill (No. 41) be referred back to the Committee on Legal Bills for further consideration.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 57), An

Act to amend The Jurors Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him not to report the Bill.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend The Natural Gas Conservation Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report some progress, and directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of The Ontario Research Foundation for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 51.*)

Also, Report of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the affairs of Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited, March, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 50.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. McQuesten—On Wednesday next—An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Mr. Dunbar—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases were made in the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 from the Taylor Hardware Company, either from its head office at New Liskeard, or from any of its branches elsewhere, by all Departments of the Ontario Government, including the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, giving the total amount of the purchases in each year from each branch of the company by each Department. 2. What was the general nature of the purchases.

Mr. Summerville—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. If the Employment Office at 70 Lombard Street, Toronto, has been or is presently to be closed, what disposition has been or is proposed to be made of the premises, stating particulars.

Mr. Duckworth—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.

Mr. Kennedy—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and addresses of the outside architects employed by the Government in connection with building operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 2. What were they paid for their services for the work mentioned in (1). 3. What other work, if any, have they done for the present Government. 4. What is the total amount paid them by the present Government since taking office. 5. Who were the Superintending Engineers in connection with construction operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 6. What was the nature of the duties of the Superintending Engineers in connection with construction operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 7. What amount was paid the Superintending Engineers for their services in connection with the Port Arthur Hospital project. 8. What other services, if any, have they performed for the Government. 9. What is the total amount the Supervising Engineers mentioned in (5) have been paid by the present Government since taking office.

Mr. Stewart—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What qualifications are required by the Department of Education for Inspector of Secondary Schools. 2. Has Mr. Andre Lemieux such qualifications. 3. Who has been appointed to assume the duties formerly discharged by Mr. Woodley. Has more than one person been appointed to assume his duties.

Mr. Black—On Wednesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of Ontario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill, capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. Which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or

individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills, giving default date and particulars of default in each case.

Mr. Challies—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That a Return be laid before this House showing:—1. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939, and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each individual or firm; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined. 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 4. State how value of timber is determined. 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming), from the Committee on Agriculture, presented the following as their Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee met on four occasions. At its first meeting, February 27th, Mr. Nixon (Temiskaming) was elected Chairman of the Committee. A programme of activities for the Session was drafted to include discussions of hog and cheese bonuses, egg-grading and other problems relative to agriculture.

The Minister, Mr. Dewan, said reason for the bonusing of hogs and cheese was the fixing of prices not carrying a reasonable margin and cited the importance of these two products as regards quotas to Britain. He said effective methods were being undertaken to check bootlegging of hogs and cheese from other provinces.

At its second meeting, March 5th, the Committee discussed egg-grading regulations and it was decided to invite a federal egg-grading Inspector to outline the new system and its problems.

The third meeting, March 12th, was devoted to consideration of Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the Subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. Mr. Dewan informed the Committee that it seemed necessary to leave the payment of bonuses to regulation and said that domestic packers have made representation to continue purchase of hogs and pay bonuses on live grade as well as rail grade basis.

William Watson, of the Live Stock Branch, outlined the status of hog production in Canada and told of the heavy competition to Eastern Canada hogs that is coming from the Western Provinces.

Mr. O'Neill, Director of the Live Stock Branch, said that if the Province

is to protect the small packer it should require him to co-operate by buying on rail grade.

At its fourth meeting, March 26th, the Committee heard A. C. Curran, Federal Egg-Grading Inspector, discuss egg-grading regulations. Mr. Curran described the various grades and cited benefits to be derived from the new system. He reported 432 applications for registered grading stations received and certificates issued to 200.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 82), intituled, "An Act to amend The Securities Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 83), intituled, "An Act to amend The Cemetery Act." *Mr. Kirby.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 23):—

1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

	1.		2.		3.		4.
	(a)	(b)				(a)	(b)
	Per- manent	Tem- porary	Contri- butors	Liquor Control Board	Retired Civil Servants	Widows	Other Depend- ents
July 11, 1934.....	5,525	1,705	6,092	854	474	268	3
October 31, 1935..	6,079	485	6,066	431	574	310	3
March 31, 1935...	5,984	791	6,122	482	542	289	3
March 31, 1936...	5,983	671	6,362	684	582	302	3
March 31, 1937...	6,047	916	6,665	701	571	332	7
March 31, 1938...	6,810	792	7,206	717	599	343	6
March 31, 1939...	6,838	901	7,434	735	582	377	6
March 31, 1940...	6,504	1,260	7,390	728	569	407	6
December 31, 1940	6,069	1,673	7,013	694	589	420	6

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 105):—

1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

1. (a)	Month of March, 1936			
Hon. Peter Heenan.....	\$154.63			
Hon. Paul Leduc.....	20.00			
(b)	Fiscal Year Ended March 31st			
	1937	1938	1939	1940
Hon. Duncan Marshall.....	\$1,000.00	\$500.00		
Hon. P. M. Dewan.....		250.00	\$950.00	\$725.00
Hon. A. W. Roebuck.....	2,175.00			
Hon. G. D. Conant.....		300.00	625.00	475.00
Hon. L. J. Simpson.....	600.00	225.00	700.00	700.00
Hon. H. J. Kirby.....			326.52	460.85
Hon. D. A. Croll.....	650.00			
Hon. N. O. Hipel.....				600.00
Hon. Paul Leduc.....	235.00	165.00	450.00	569.00
Hon. E. W. Cross.....		400.00	400.00	500.00
Hon. C. A. Campbell.....		500.00	6.20	
(c)	April 1st to December 31st, 1940			
Hon. P. M. Dewan.....	\$450.00			
Hon. G. D. Conant.....	400.00			
Hon. L. J. Simpson.....	100.00			
Hon. H. J. Kirby.....	488.72			
Hon. N. O. Hipel.....	200.00			
Hon. Paul Leduc.....	136.00			
Hon. R. L. Laurier.....	50.00			
Hon. E. W. Cross.....	500.00			

Mr. Habel asked the following Question (No. 144):—

1. What amounts of money were paid to each Minister of the Government for travelling expenses from January 1st, 1930, to July 12th, 1934. 2. What Ministers of the Government had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use during this period and what was the total cost for operating each car, including wages, uniforms and expenses of chauffeur. 3. (a) What Ministers of the Government have had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use since July 12th, 1934; (b) What was the cost of same.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1.	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934 (to July 12/34)
Hon. G. Howard Ferguson.....	\$2,000				
Hon. William Finlayson.....	850	\$ 900	\$ 300	\$ 700	\$ 500
Hon. Chas. McCrea.....	1,000	1,250	975	1,000	500
Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey.....	1,000				
Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	125	1,000	500	500	650
Hon. W. G. Martin.....	250	1,000	925	850	600
Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith.....	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	600
Hon. Lincoln Goldie.....	1,000				
Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	150	1,000	700	850	500
Hon. J. S. Martin.....	500				
Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	250	1,000	1,000	1,800	650
Hon. E. A. Dunlop.....		1,000	1,000	1,000	500
Hon. G. H. Challies.....		125	650	600	400
Hon. W. H. Price.....		500	500	500	500
	<u>\$8,125</u>	<u>\$8,775</u>	<u>\$7,550</u>	<u>\$8,800</u>	<u>\$5,400</u>

2.	1930	Cost of Operating
Premier.....	Hon. H. G. Ferguson.....	\$2,759.30
Treasurer.....	Hon. J. D. Monteith	
	Hon. E. A. Dunlop.....	2,988.33
Health.....	Hon. Dr. Forbes Godfrey	
	Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	3,077.95
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. Lincoln Goldie	
	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	3,193.57
Highways.....	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	2,744.95
Agriculture.....	Hon. J. S. Martin	
	Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	3,294.87
Mines.....	Hon. Charles McCrea.....	3,143.03
Attorney-General.....	Hon. W. H. Price.....	2,901.54
Lands and Forests.....	Hon. Wm. Finlayson.....	3,968.78
Public Works.....	Hon. G. S. Henry	
	Hon. J. D. Monteith.....	290.30
		<u>\$28,362.62</u>

1931

Premier.....	Hon. G. H. Ferguson	
	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	\$2,465.54
Treasurer.....	Hon. E. A. Dunlop.....	1,982.15
Health.....	Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	2,370.06
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. Leopold Macaulay	
	Hon. G. H. Challies.....	3,536.23
Highways.....	Hon. G. S. Henry	
	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	1,575.69

1931— <i>Continued</i>		Cost of Operating
Agriculture.....	Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	2,728.89
Mines.....	Hon. Charles McCrea.....	2,526.65
Attorney-General.....	Hon. W. H. Price.....	3,101.57
Lands and Forests.....	Hon. Wm. Finlayson.....	3,634.27
Public Works.....	Hon. J. D. Monteith.....	2,913.19
Welfare.....	Hon. W. G. Martin.....	3,989.67
		—————\$30,823.91

1932

Premier.....	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	\$3,145.76
Treasurer.....	Hon. E. A. Dunlop.....	2,844.84
Health.....	Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	2,944.58
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. G. H. Challies.....	3,308.06
Highways.....	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	3,715.31
Agriculture.....	Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	3,211.03
Mines.....	Hon. Charles McCrea.....	3,085.28
Attorney-General.....	Hon. W. H. Price.....	3,476.39
Lands and Forests.....	Hon. Wm. Finlayson.....	4,329.70
Public Works.....	Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith.....	3,226.75
Welfare.....	Hon. W. G. Martin.....	3,490.29
		—————\$36,778.09

1933

Premier.....	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	\$2,537.81
Treasurer.....	Hon. E. A. Dunlop.....	2,398.54
Health.....	Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	2,697.12
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. G. H. Challies.....	3,302.09
Highways.....	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	3,254.63
Agriculture.....	Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	3,405.64
Mines.....	Hon. Charles McCrea.....	3,410.09
Attorney-General.....	Hon. W. H. Price.....	3,229.15
Lands and Forests.....	Hon. Wm. Finlayson.....	3,337.11
Public Works.....	Hon. Dr. J. D. Monteith.....	3,194.84
Welfare.....	Hon. W. G. Martin.....	3,714.21
		—————\$34,481.23

To July 11th, 1934

Premier.....	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	\$2,158.22
Treasurer.....	Hon. G. S. Henry.....	Nil
Health.....	Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb.....	1,886.17
Provincial Secretary.....	Hon. G. H. Challies.....	1,442.52
Highways.....	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	1,946.65
Agriculture.....	Hon. T. L. Kennedy.....	2,174.16
Mines.....	Hon. Charles McCrea.....	2,077.43
Attorney-General.....	Hon. W. H. Price.....	2,078.46
Lands and Forests.....	Hon. Wm. Finlayson.....	2,408.61
Public Works.....	Hon. Leopold Macaulay.....	Nil
Welfare.....	Hon. W. G. Martin.....	2,291.48
		—————\$18,463.70

3. (a) None; (b) Nil.

Mr. Freeborn asked the following Question (No. 145):—

1. Who have been members of the Liquor Control Board since its inception.
2. What were the salaries of the different members.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. and 2. D. B. Hanna.....	\$20,000.00	per annum
Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion.....	10,000.00	" "
S. McClenaghan.....	10,000.00	" "
Hon. Sir Henry L. Dayton.....	20,000.00	" "
His Honour J. M. McNamara.....	10,000.00	" "
E. G. Odette.....	10,000.00	" "
A. N. Smith.....	7,000.00	" "
Hon. A. St. Clair Gordon.....	8,000.00	" "

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of Ontario I.O.O.F.

Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt.

Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting the Royal Botanical Gardens.

Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act.

Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act.

Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury.

Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia.

Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act.

Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials.

Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend The Natural Gas Conservation Act.

Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Challies,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 20.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.35 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Laurier—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Mr. Heenan—On Thursday next—An Act to amend The Surveys Act.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In connection with the Ontario Hospitals at St. Thomas, Port Arthur and Brampton, and in connection with additions or extensions at the Ontario Hospitals at Woodstock and New Toronto: (a) What outside architects were employed and what amount was paid to each by the present Government and what amounts are still due or claimed; (b) Give the same information in relation to employment of superintending engineers.

Mr. Macaulay—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the Ontario Hospitals indicating (a) The kinds and quantities of coal purchased with respect to each hospital; (b) The per ton price in each instance; (c) Name of dealer in each instance; (d) The total amount paid to each

dealer with respect to coal supplied to each hospital. 2. Was the coal purchased on a delivered basis; if not give particulars as to cost of trucking or other delivery arrangement. 3. How many specimens of coal delivered were tested as to B.T.U. value, ash content, etc., and were any deductions in payments made or bonuses paid with respect to coal varying from standards specified, giving particulars. 4. Was the coal purchased on a competitive tender basis. 5. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 6. Was each dealer who so requested allowed to tender. 7. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased for use in Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940. 8. What quantity of Nova Scotia coal was purchased for use in each of the Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; from what dealers was the Nova Scotia coal purchased in each case, at what price per ton and what was the total amount paid each dealer with respect to such Nova Scotia coal.

Mr. Kennedy—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Ontario Research Foundation continuing its experiments and research work relating to the control of contagious abortion (Bang's disease), by work with the remaining herds of cattle at the Ontario Hospitals; if not, when were the experiments discontinued. 2. Over what period did the experiments extend and what amount was paid the Ontario Research Foundation in this connection. 3. At what Ontario Hospitals are dairy herds maintained. 4. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are T. B. tested. 5. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are blood tested regularly in relation to contagious abortion (Bang's disease).

Mr. Spence—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many loans were made to settlers by the Settlers' Loan Commissioner. 2. How many of these loans were outstanding in whole or in part on December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of these loans was outstanding on December 31st, 1940, and of the total amount indicate: (a) Amount in arrears; (b) Amount not in arrears. 4. What amount of interest was past due on December 31st, 1940. 5. What agency is now collecting these loans. 6. When was the position of Settlers' Loan Commissioner abolished. 7. When was the practice of making loans to Settlers under The Northern Development Act abolished, or discontinued.

Mr. Summerville—On Thursday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was (a) the quantity and (b) the value of the stock of common brick and of tapestry brick at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the value of the stock of the following products at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, as of December 31st, 1940, viz.: (a) Floor and wall tile; (b) Spanish roofing tile; (c) Hollow building tile; (d) Agricultural tile. 3. When was the manufacture of clay products discontinued at this institution.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Legal Bills will meet in Committee Room No. 1, to-morrow (Wednesday), April 2nd, at 10.30 a.m.

The Standing Committee on Printing will meet in the office of the King's Printer to-morrow (Wednesday), April 2nd, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 29

TUESDAY, APRIL 1ST, 1941

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3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Standing Committee on Printing presents the following as its Report:—

Your Committee recommends the purchase of copies of the Canadian Parliamentary Guide, the Canadian Almanac and the Canada Year Book for distribution to the Members of the Assembly.

Public Accounts.....	2,050
Estimates.....	2,000
Lands and Forests.....	1,550
Mines.....	3,100
Legal Offices.....	375
Superintendent of Insurance: Abstract.....	1,050
Detailed.....	1,150
Registrar of Loan Corporations: Abstract.....	500
Detailed.....	750
Public Works.....	375
Highways.....	700
Game and Fisheries.....	850
Labour.....	950
Education.....	1,550
University of Toronto.....	400

Births, Marriages and Deaths.....	350
Department of Health.....	1,600
Ontario Hospital for Mentally Subnormal and Epileptics.....	700
General Hospitals, Hospitals for Incurables, Sanatoria and Red Cross Hospitals.....	850
Prisons and Reformatories.....	1,058
Industrial Training Schools.....	858
Public Welfare.....	850
British War Guests.....	600
Liquor Control Board.....	1,350
Department of Agriculture (Minister).....	1,850
Department of Agriculture (Statistics).....	3,850
Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway.....	500
Ontario Municipal Board.....	650
Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3,750
Provincial Auditor.....	400
Workmen's Compensation Board.....	3,350
Ontario Veterinary College.....	1,350
Northern Development Act.....	550
Provincial Police.....	500
Ontario Research Foundation.....	1,350
Niagara Parks Commission.....	650
Fire Marshal.....	1,250

Mr. Strachan, from the Standing Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following as their Second and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Standing Committee on Legal Bills to whom was referred Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, begs leave to report the Bill with certain amendments.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 84), intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Service Act." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 85), intituled, "An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 86), intituled, "An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act." *Mr. Laurier.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 87), intituled, "An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act. *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 88), intituled, "An Act to amend The Surveys Act." *Mr. Heenan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 89), intituled, "An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 133):—

1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. \$23,828.79. 2. (a) Scott-Jackson Construction Ltd.; (b) Construction of monument \$16,650.00, Construction of base \$4,834.85, Total \$21,484.85; Stone for concrete, cement, piling and reinforcing steel supplied by Department, \$2,343.94. 3. W. L. Somerville, \$844.85. 4. Nil.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 136):—

1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

	(a) Date of Contract	(b) Contractor's Name	(c) Amount Paid	(d) Location of Work	(e) Mileage or Length of Contract
39-130	Aug. 10, 1939	A. Cope & Sons, Ltd.	\$15,310.99	Church Street to Browns Line on Queen Street	2.3 miles
39-144	Oct. 4, 1939	Brennan Paving Co. Limited	57,979.20	Barrie west, Highway No. 90	7 miles
39-145	Oct. 4, 1939	Brennan Paving Co. Limited	30,274.22	West from Contract No. 39-144 to Camp Borden	4.5 miles
40-148	Nov. 16, 1939	Brennan Paving Co. Limited	26,707.74	Highway No. 90; Pine River Diversion and 2,000 ft. north	Bridge and grading two diversions
39-149	Mar. 6, 1940	Standard Paving, Limited	6,444.83	Marten Lake, Highway No. 11	130 ft. bridge
40-118	Dec. 24, 1940	Wainwright Construction Co.	1,407.81	Exeter	Bridge

Invitation tenders were asked for on all these contracts.

Mr. Hepburn (Prince Edward-Lennox) asked the following Question (No. 142):—

1. How many Old Age Pensions were granted in each of the Counties of Prince Edward, Hastings, Northumberland and Lennox and Addington in each of the years 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, and the amounts thereof. 2. How many Mothers' Allowances were granted in each of the foregoing counties in each of the aforesaid years and the amount thereof.

The Honourable the Minister of Welfare replied as follows:—

1. Old Age Pensions—

	1937		1938		1939		1940	
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
Prince Edward.....	51	\$2,058.90	48	\$1,631.51	59	\$2,235.62	58	\$2,173.96
Hastings.....	160	5,134.40	142	4,567.59	161	5,981.53	133	4,853.59
*Northumberland-Durham.	201	7,436.21	186	6,404.16	182	6,919.65	145	5,360.46
Lennox and Addington....	79	2,555.17	68	2,571.59	55	2,105.00	55	1,886.55

2. Mothers' Allowances—

	1937		1938		1939		1940	
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
Prince Edward.....	13	\$ 430.00	9	\$ 260.00	11	\$ 370.00	5	\$ 180.00
Hastings.....	32	965.00	39	1,145.00	31	930.00	29	890.00
Northumberland.....	22	805.00	19	585.00	20	705.00	11	390.00
Lennox and Addington....	8	230.00	10	305.00	10	350.00	10	265.00

*Records for Old Age Pension purposes, pertaining to United Counties, are kept together.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 146):—

1. What amounts, with dates, have been paid by the Government to the

Hydro-Electric Power Commission since February 1st, 1940, under The Rural Hydro-Electric Power District Service Act of 1930.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. Nil.

In respect to Question (No. 138) regarding the awarding of contracts to certain construction companies in the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940, the Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Doucett, seconded by Mr. Dunbar,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing:—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

The motion of Mr. Drew, seconded by Mr. Kennedy, That the proposed St. Lawrence development and other public undertakings throughout the Province create an urgent demand for effective planning and supervision of remodelling, re-establishment, reclamation and reconstruction, which in the opinion of this Legislature calls for the immediate creation of an Ontario Town and Country Planning Commission with authority to recommend and supervise plans for reconstruction, reclamation, and development in the rural and urban areas throughout the Province of Ontario wherever deemed necessary and advisable, having been called,

And a Debate having arisen, after some time, the Motion having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Elgie	Murphy
Arnott	Frost	Reynolds
Challies	Henry	Spence
Doucett	Hepburn	Stewart
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Summerville—18
Drew	Kennedy	
Duckworth	Macaulay	

NAYS

Anderson	Fairbank	Macfie
Baker	Fletcher	MacGillivray
Ballantyne	Freeborn	MacKay
Bégin	Glass	Mercer
Bethune	Gordon	Miller
Blakelock	Guthrie	Murray
Campbell	Habel	McQuesten
(Kent, East)	Hagey	Newlands
Carr	Haines	Nixon
Cholette	Heenan	(Brant)
Conacher	Hepburn	Nixon
Cooper	(Elgin)	(Temiskaming)
Croome	Hipel	Oliver
Cross	Houck	Patterson
Dewan	Hunter	Sinclair
Dunbar	Kelly	Smith
Duncan	King	Trottier—49
Elliott	Laurier	

PAIRS

Welsh — Campbell

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was, on the motion of Mr. Henry,

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned until to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated April 2nd, 1941, That there be laid before the House a Return showing:—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount

paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars. (*Sessional Papers No. 52.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.25 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What did the Department of Public Highways pay per barrel for cement used on highways for years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. What quantity of cement was used during each year 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 3. What firms supplied cement to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 4. What firms supplied metal culverts to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, and what was the price.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many automobiles were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 2. How many trucks were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 3. Specify the number of automobiles owned by and attached to each department or board or commission of the Government on December 31st, 1940—the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted.

Mr. Macaulay—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been acquired to provide for construction of approaches or other works in connection with the Rainbow bridge at Niagara Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: (a) The number of motor cars and trucks purchased by the Government since July 11th, 1934, or by any board or commission of the Government, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted; (b) The department, board or commission for which purchased; (c) Date of purchase; (d) Make of car or truck; (e) Type of car or truck; (f) From whom purchased, with address; (g) Purchase price; (h) Indicating which of the cars and trucks so purchased are still owned by the Government or its boards or commissions.

Mr. Doucett—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much was spent for motor car rentals by each Department of the Government in the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. How much was paid to members of the civil service for the same period with respect to mileage for use of their motor cars on Government business, specifying the amount spent by each Department. 3. What is the present mileage rate allowed with respect to personally-owned motor cars used by members of the civil service on Government business and what are the present rules and regulations respecting such allowances.

Mr. Stewart—On Friday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Where were the motor car markers for 1939 and 1940 produced. 2. How many were manufactured in each of the years mentioned in (1), specifying the different types. 3. What was the manufacturing cost of single plates, sets of two plates and sets of three plates respectively. 4. What was the selling price to the Department of Highways in each of the cases mentioned in (3). 5. If manufactured at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, what was the number of paid help employed and in connection with such paid help state: (a) Name of employee; (b) Home address of employee; (c) Category of each employee; (d) Wage rate of each employee and total amount paid each in each of the years mentioned in (1). 6. Who, if anyone, was employed to give general oversight and direction respecting manufacturing operations, what was his home address and what were the general terms and conditions as to his services and remuneration therefor.

NOTICE

The Standing Committee on Municipal Law will meet in Committee Room No. 1 to-morrow (Thursday), April 3rd, at 10.30 a.m.

No. 30

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, APRIL 3RD, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Carr, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law, presented their Second and Final Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee has carefully considered the provisions of Bills Nos. 51, 52 and 78 to amend The Municipal Act, and such of their provisions as have been approved of have been embodied in a Bill entitled "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941."

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 90), intituled, "The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941." *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 91), intituled, "An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 92), intituled "The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941." *Mr. McQuesten.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time to-morrow.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 14):—

1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940,

of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ending December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Construction, \$14,407,037.79; Maintenance, \$1,095,879.50. 2. Construction, \$1,464,147.97; Maintenance, \$168,605.97. 3. (1) Construction, \$10,873,962.23; Maintenance, \$660,163.40; (2) Construction, \$821,476.66; Maintenance, \$112,478.37.

4.			Miles Paved	Average Cost per Mile
(1)	1934-36	3" Retread Surface.....	17	\$17,761.90
	1936-37	Mixed Macadam.....	54.4	13,665.51
	1938-39	Mulch.....	4	5,400.00
	1939	Mixed Macadam.....	10	13,793.43
(2)	1924-26	6 miles of Bituminous Penetration....	....	27,238.91
	1929-32	Above 6 miles seal coated and repaired....	....	5,466.54
	1938-39	Concrete on above 6 miles and 5.2 added....	....	27,229.85

5. (1) Contract 39-07 Standard Paving Ltd., Grading and Culverts— Amount paid Contractor.....		\$464,673.86
Unit Prices		
Clearing.....	\$ 45.00 per acre	
Grubbing.....	70.00 per acre	
Earth Excavation.....	.25 c. y.	
Rock Excavation.....	1.38 c. y.	
Rock Excavation (winter prices).....	1.80 c. y.	
Parks, Clearing, Grubbing and Levelling...	216.00 per acre	
24" C.I.P. (placing).....	.60 l. f.	
Concrete.....	11.00 c. y.	
Earth Excavation Structures.....	1.00 c. y.	
Rock Excavation Structures.....	2.50 c. y.	
Rip Rap, hand laid.....	2.00 c. y.	
¾" Crushed Gravel.....	.80 ton	
Blowing Muskeg (dynamite).....	11.00 case	
Top Dressing.....	.35 c. y.	
Board Allowance.....	.15 per man day	

Contract 39-08 C. V. Billie & Son,
Grading and Culverts—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$451,826.69
Unit Prices

Clearing.....	\$ 40.00 per acre
Grubbing.....	75.00 per acre
Earth Excavation.....	.30 c. y.
Rock Excavation.....	1.49 c. y.
Rip Rap, hand laid.....	2.50 c. y.
Concrete in Structures.....	13.00 c. y.
Earth Excavation Structures.....	1.00 c. y.
Rock Excavation Structures.....	2.25 c. y.
Crushed Gravel, $\frac{3}{4}$ ".....	1.00 ton
Dynamite Fill Settlement.....	11.00 case
Top Dressing.....	.45 c. y.
Board Allowance.....	.15 per man day

Contract 39-09 C. V. Billie & Son,
Grading and Culverts—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$423,749.61
Unit Prices

Clearing.....	\$ 25.00 per acre
Grubbing.....	25.00 per acre
Earth Excavation.....	.25 c. y.
Rock Excavation.....	1.47 c. y.
Rip Rap, hand laid.....	2.50 c. y.
24" C.I.P.....	1.00 l. f.
Concrete in Structures.....	12.50 c. y.
Earth Excavation, Structures.....	1.00 c. y.
Rock Excavation, Structures.....	2.25 c. y.
Crushed Gravel, $\frac{3}{4}$ ".....	1.00 ton
Dynamite Swamp Shoot.....	10.50 case
Top Dressing.....	.45 c. y.
Clearing Right-of-Way.....	40.00 per acre
Board Allowance.....	.15 per man day
Earth Top Dressing.....	1.00 c. y.

Contract 39-41 King Paving Co., Ltd.,
Crushed Gravel at $79\frac{1}{2}$ c. ton—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$7,950.00

Contract 39-45 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,
Crushed Gravel at 89c. ton—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$13,347.90

Contract 39-46 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,
Crushed Gravel at 85c. ton—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$8,500.00

Contract 59-47 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,
Crushed Gravel at \$1.08 ton—
Amount paid Contractor.....\$34,426.72

Contract 39-92 Warren Bituminous Paving Co.,
Macadam Pavement—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$91,436.21

Unit Prices

Earth Excavation.....	\$.35 c. y.
Rock Excavation.....	4.00 c. y.
Hot Mix Gravel.....	1.75 ton
Applying Primer.....	.015 gal.
1" Asphaltic Concrete Top.....	1.98 ton
$\frac{3}{4}$ " Foundation Course.....	.70 ton
Scarifying and Reshaping.....	.025 s. y.
Agricultural 6" Tile.....	.25 l. f.
Porous Backfill.....	.65 ton
8" C.I.P.....	.20 l. f.
Sodding, staked.....	.20 s. y.
Wire Mesh Laid.....	.05 s. y.
Curb and Gutter.....	.29 l. f.

Contract 39-149 Standard Paving, Ltd.,
Bridge Substructure—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$6,444.83

Unit Prices

Structure Foundation.....	\$ 2.00 c. y.
Concrete in Substructure.....	14.00 c. y.
Concrete in Superstructure.....	18.00 c. y.
Placing Reinforcing Steel.....	40.00 ton
Rip Rap (W.O. No. 444).....	3.00 c. y.

Contract 39-149A Runnymede Iron & Steel Co.,
Steel Superstructure for Bridge, lump

sum.....\$11,420.00

Contract 40-323 Municipal Spraying & Oiling Co., Ltd.,
Surface Treatment—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$5,061.48

Unit Prices

Applying Bituminous Material.....	\$.02 gal.
Application Chips.....	1.25 ton

Contract 40-359 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,
Gravel at \$1.37 ton—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$13,700.00

Contract 40-361 J. Maguire Contracting Co., Ltd.,
Gravel at \$1.40 ton—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$14,000.00

Contract Project 3276 Hadley & McHaffie Const. Co., Ltd.,

Gravel (crushed) at 92c. ton—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$13,799.22

5. (2) Contract 39-47 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,

Crushed Gravel at \$1.08 ton—

Amount paid Contractor.....\$8,640.62

Contract 39-48	Northern Paving & Materials, Ltd.,	
	Crushed Gravel at \$1.30 ton—	
	Amount paid Contractor	\$26,014.30
Contract 39-112	R. A. Blyth,	
	Grading approaches, Schumacher Overhead—	
	Amount paid Contractor	\$25,473.70
	Unit Prices	
	Waste Mine Rock Fill	\$.55 c. y.
	$\frac{3}{4}$ " Crushed Gravel	1.35 ton
	Earth Cover . . . . .	.60 c. y.

6. Contract 39-47 Curran & Briggs, Ltd.,
Extended from 9,000 tons of Crushed Gravel to 40,000 tons
placed where directed.
7. No.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 118):—

1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made.
2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition.
3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars.
4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

The Honourable the Minister of Public Works replied as follows:—

1. All payments completed in accordance with agreement with the City of Toronto.
2. 1934—Department of Health; 1935—None; 1936—Game and Fisheries Department; 1937—Game and Fisheries Department; 1938—Game and Fisheries Department; 1939—Game and Fisheries Department; 1940—Game and Fisheries Department.
3. None. An Agreement between the Province and the City of Toronto provides that the Province of Ontario Building shall be the property of the City and shall be maintained by the City so long as the Canadian National Exhibition Association continues to hold its exhibitions, the Province having the right to use the building at any and all times for the purpose of exhibiting the resources of the Province.
4. \$600,000.00.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 151):—

1. What qualifications are required by the Department of Education for Inspector of Secondary Schools.
2. Has Mr. Andre Lemieux such qualifications.
3. Who has been appointed to assume the duties formerly discharged by Mr. Woodley. Has more than one person been appointed to assume his duties.

The Honourable the Minister of Education replied as follows:—

1. There are no regulations setting forth the qualifications required for "Inspectors of Secondary Schools." Subsection (3) of section 3 of The Department of Education Act states that "the Minister may appoint such inspectors, teachers and officers for purposes of instruction, supervision and administration as he may deem expedient." 2. Mr. Henri Lemieux holds a B.A. degree from Laval University and a High School Assistant's certificate from the Ontario College of Education. He taught in the Plantagenet High School from September, 1923, until June, 1925, and in the Cornwall Collegiate Institute from September, 1925, until October, 1927. He was then appointed Associate Principal of the Sturgeon Falls Model School. When this Model School was discontinued in 1935, he was appointed to the staff of the University of Ottawa Normal School, which position he held until he was appointed a High School Inspector in January, 1941. 3. Mr. H. H. Walker, of the Department of Municipal Affairs, was appointed Chief Accountant of the Department of Education, but shortly after war broke out he was granted leave of absence to do work for the British Purchasing Commission in New York. Mr. Colin Campbell was then transferred to this post from the Ontario Securities Commission. The duties of the Secretary of The Teachers and Inspectors' Superannuation Commission, formerly discharged by Mr. Woodley, are being performed by Mr. C. A. Brown, a member of the staff of the Department of Education.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion that Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and after some time,

Mr. Drew moved in Amendment, seconded by Mr. Macaulay, That Debate on the Motion "That this House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply" be adjourned and that the estimates for the current year as submitted to the House be referred back to the Executive Council with instructions to decrease the total amount of supply asked from the House by the sum of at least \$25,000,000.

The Prime Minister, in the course of his address, tabled certain papers in connection with Hydro-Electric Power reserves (*Sessional Papers No. 54*) and Provincial Loans (*Sessional Papers No. 55*.)

The Debate continued and, after some time,

The Amendment, having been put, was declared lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Duckworth	Macaulay
Arnott	Dunbar	Murphy
Black	Elgie	Reynolds
Challies	Frost	Spence
Doucett	Hepburn	Stewart
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Summerville—19
Drew	Kennedy	

NAYS

Anderson	Fairbank	Laurier
Ballantyne	Fletcher	Macfie
Bégin	Freeborn	MacKay
Bethune	Gardhouse	Mercer
Blakelock	Glass	Miller
Bradley	Gordon	Murray
Brownridge	Guthrie	McEwing
Campbell	Habel	McQuesten
(Kent, East)	Hagey	Newlands
Carr	Haines	Nixon
Cholette	Heenan	(Brant)
Conant	Hepburn	Nixon
Cooper	(Elgin)	(Temiskaming)
Croome	Hipel	Oliver
Cross	Hunter	Patterson
Dewan	Kelly	Smith
Dickson	King	Strachan
Duncan	Kirby	Trottier—51
Elliott		

PAIRS

Welsh	—	Houck
Henry	---	Baker

The Main Motion having then been put was carried on the following Division:—

YEAS

Anderson	Carr	Elliott
Ballantyne	Cholette	Fairbank
Bégin	Conant	Fletcher
Bethune	Cooper	Freeborn
Blakelock	Croome	Gardhouse
Bradley	Cross	Glass
Brownridge	Dewan	Gordon
Campbell	Dickson	Guthrie
(Kent, East)	Duncan	Habel

YEAS—Continued

Hagey	Laurier	Nixon
Haines	Macfie	(Brant)
Heenan	MacKay	Nixon
Hepburn	Mercer	(Temiskaming)
(Elgin)	Miller	Oliver
Hipel	Murray	Patterson
Hunter	McEwing	Smith
Kelly	McQuesten	Strachan
King	Newlands	Trottier—51
Kirby		

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PAIRS

Houck	—	Welsh
Baker	—	Henry

And the House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1942, the following sum:—

128. To defray the expenses of the Office of Lieutenant-Governor . . . \$10,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Order-in-Council and Regulations for the Prevention and Mitigation of Psittacosis, Department of Health. (*Sessional Papers No. 53.*)

Also, Annual Report of The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for year ending October 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 26.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 23.*)

Also, Report of the Inspector of Legal Offices for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 5.*)

The House then adjourned at 10.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Oliver—On Monday next—Resolution—That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into and report upon the distribution and sale of hydro-electric power in Ontario, particularly with the object in view that a flat or more equalized rate might be enjoyed by all municipal, industrial and rural users as, in the opinion of this House, the proposed development on the St. Lawrence of 1,100,000 horse-power of low-cost electrical energy for Ontario should warrant a more equitable arrangement than now exists.

And the said Select Committee shall be authorized to meet during the recess of the House and shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers and things and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin)—On Monday next—Resolution—That on next this House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolutions:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement

of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the years 1933, 1934, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939: (a) How many persons were sentenced to prison in the Province; (b) What was the average per capita cost per diem, for the maintenance of inmates in Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms; (c) What was the total number of days stay of inmates in the Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms.

Mr. Challies—On Monday next—Resolution—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All correspondence, memoranda, telegrams, agreements or contracts between the Government or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any or all power companies relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York.

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 93), intituled, "The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941." *Mr. McQueen.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Monday next.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 82):—

1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special Permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1.

	Fiscal Year Ending October 31st, 1934		Fiscal Year (5 mos.) Ending March 31st, 1935		Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1936		Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1937	
	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue
Resident (Individual Annual).....	178,517	\$357,034.00	60,867	\$121,734.00	4,489	\$ 8,978.00	50,839	\$101,678.00
*Resident Extensions.....					70,215	52,661.25		
Resident Beer and Wine.....								
Less Conversions.....	102,008							
	14,089							
Single Purchase.....	87,919	87,919.00						
Temporary (Individual Non-resident).....	77,602	19,400.50	664,394	166,098.50	1,847,444	461,861.00	2,729,566	682,391.50
Druggists.....	12,374	22,157.00	39	78.00	140	280.00	44	88.00
*Druggists Extensions.....	1,518	3,036.00	1,455	2,910.00	72	144.00	1,571	3,142.00
Other Permits.....	9,265	4,994.50	1,132	1,017.50	1,425	1,068.75	2,352	1,633.00

*Due to the change in the Provincial fiscal year all Individual and Special Liquor Permits which expired on October 31st, 1935, were extended to March 31st, 1936, upon the payment of 75 cents.

Permits issued on and after November 1st, 1935, and valid only until March 31st, 1936, were also issued for the five months' period for the same fee.

	Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1938		Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1939		Fiscal Year Ending March 31st, 1940		For the Period April 1st, 1940, to Dec. 31st, 1940	
	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue	Number	Revenue
Resident (Individual Annual).....	50,880	\$101,760.00	47,420	\$ 94,840.00	45,016	\$ 90,032.00	39,759	\$ 79,518.00
Single Purchase.....	3,116,729	779,182.25	3,136,171	784,042.75	2,732,493	683,123.25	2,549,674	637,418.50
Temporary (Individual Non-resident).....	49	98.00	43	86.00	17	34.00	26	52.00
Druggists.....	1,583	3,166.00	1,600	3,200.00	1,634	3,268.00	1,635	3,270.00
Other Permits.....	2,588	1,760.25	2,287	1,627.00	2,112	1,473.00	1,612	1,202.50

2. August 1st, 1934. 3. July 23rd, 1934.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 123):—

1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

1. Yes. 2. Letter of September 23rd, 1940, advising that the Unemployment Insurance Act contains provisions for the establishment of national employment offices and the Federal subsidy would necessarily be withdrawn when the plan is in operation. It also invited suggestions on such measures as might be taken to ensure the co-operation of the Province with the Dominion Government.

Mr. Summerville asked the following Question (No. 148):—

1. If the Employment Office at 70 Lombard Street, Toronto, has been or is presently to be closed, what disposition has been or is proposed to be made of the premises, stating particulars.

The Honourable the Minister of Labour replied as follows:—

Employment Service of Canada, Ontario Government Offices, 70 Lombard St., Toronto, was closed on October 31st, 1940, and was immediately occupied by the Workmen's Compensation Board Clinic.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 155):—

1. What purchases of coal were made during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the Ontario Hospitals indicating (a) The kinds and quantities of coal purchased with respect to each hospital; (b) The per ton price in each instance; (c) Name of dealer in each instance; (d) The total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each hospital. 2. Was the coal purchased on a delivered basis; if not give particulars as to cost of trucking or other delivery arrangement. 3. How many specimens of coal delivered were tested as to B.T.U. value, ash content, etc., and were any deductions in payments made or bonuses paid with respect to coal varying from standards specified, giving particulars. 4. Was the coal purchased on a competitive tender basis. 5. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 6. Was each dealer who so requested allowed to tender. 7. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased for use in Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940. 8. What quantity of Nova Scotia coal was purchased for use in each of the Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; from what dealers was the Nova Scotia coal purchased in each case, at what price per ton and what was the total amount paid each dealer with respect to such Nova Scotia coal.

The Honourable the Minister of Health replied as follows:—

1. PURCHASE OF COAL MADE DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
MARCH 31st, 1940

Ontario Hospitals	(a)		(b)	(c)	(d)	
	Kind	Tonnage			Total Amount of Each Dealer's Contracts	
Brockville	¾ Slack Bit.	1,650	\$ 6.25	J. R. Bresnan & Son	\$10,312.50	
	Anth. Stove	45	12.00	J. R. Bresnan & Son	540.00	
	Anth. Nut	32	12.00	J. R. Bresnan & Son	384.00	
					<hr/>	\$11,236.50
	¾ Slack Bit.	1,650	6.25	Central Can. Coal Co.	10,312.50	
	Anth. Stove	45	12.00	Central Can. Coal Co.	540.00	
Cobourg	Anth. Egg	26	12.00	Central Can. Coal Co.	312.00	
					<hr/>	11,164.50
	Mine Run Bit.	2,200	5.16	Valley Camp Coal Co.	11,352.00	
					<hr/>	11,352.00
	Anth. Stove	60	11.75	Wm. Jenning & Co.	705.00	
	Anth. Egg	15	11.75	Wm. Jenning & Co.	176.25	
Fort William	Anth. Pea	1	10.00	Wm. Jenning & Co.	10. 0	
					<hr/>	891.25
	Bit. Steam	300	6.50	Murphy Coal Co.	1,850.00	
	Anth. Stove	13	13.50	Murphy Coal Co.	175.50	
	Anth. Egg	13	13.50	Murphy Coal Co.	175.50	
					<hr/>	2,201.00
Hamilton	¾ Lump Bit.	5,500	5.39	Canada Coal	29,645.00	
					<hr/>	29,645.00
	Anth. Stove	300	9.95	Ferrey Coal Co.	2,985.00	
	Anth. Nut	5	9.95	Ferrey Coal Co.	49.75	
Kingston					<hr/>	3,034.75
			(1750)	Main Bldg.	\$8,925.00	
	2" Slack Bit.	2,125	Balance	Morris Coal Co.		
			375			
			5.70	Mowat	\$2,137.50	
					<hr/>	11,062.50
	¾ Lump Bit.	250	5.35	Morris Coal Co.	1,337.50	
	Anth. Egg	275	12.50	Morris Coal Co.	3,437.50	
					<hr/>	15,837.50
	2" Slack Bit.	2,125	Bal. 1,750	Main Bldg.		
London			375	5.70 Mowat Drury Supplies	8,925.00 2,137.50	
					<hr/>	11,062.50
	¾ Lump Bit.	250	5.35	Drury Supplies	1,337.50	
					<hr/>	12,400.00
	Mine Run Bit.	5,000	5.25	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	26,250.00	
					<hr/>	26,250.00
	Anth. Stove	240	9.68	Wm. Heanan & Son	2,323.20	
					<hr/>	2,323.20
	¾ Slack Bit.	6,000	4.74	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	28,440.00	
	Anth. Stove	275	9.62	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	2,645.50	
New Toronto	Anth. Nut	25	9.62	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	240.50	
					<hr/>	31,326.00
	Anth. Blower	15	7.69	Conger Lehigh Coal Co.	115.35	
					<hr/>	115.35
New Toronto Concord	Mine Run Bit.	200	5.45	Canada Coal Co.	1,090.00	
	Pocahontas	40	8.00	Canada Coal Co.	320.00	
					<hr/>	1,410.00
Orillia	Anth. Nut	5	11.00	Standard Fuel Co. Ltd.	55.00	
					<hr/>	55.00
	2" Slack Bit.	6,000	5.24	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	31,440.00	
Penetang					<hr/>	31,440.00
	Anth. Stove	220	10.40	Sarjeant Co., Ltd.	2,288.00	
					<hr/>	2,288.00
St. Thomas	Mine Run Bit.	500	5.10	Sarjeant Co., Ltd.	2,550.00	
	Anth. Stove	50	11.05	Sarjeant Co., Ltd.	552.50	
St. Thomas					<hr/>	3,102.50
	2" Slack Bit.	10,000	4.74	W. H. Swift & Co.	47,400.00	
					<hr/>	47,400.00

1. PURCHASE OF COAL MADE DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED
MARCH 31ST, 1940—Continued

	(a)	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	
Ontario Hospitals	Kind	Tonnage	Price per Ton	Name of Dealer	Total Amount of Each Dealer's Contracts	
Toronto	2" Slack Bit.	2,200	4.87	Canada Coal Co.	10,714.00	
	$\frac{3}{4}$ Lump Bit.	600	5.53	Canada Coal Co.	3,318.00	
						14,032.00
	Anth. Nut	100	8.99	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	899.00	
	Anth. Stove	25	8.99	Elias Rogers Coal Co.	224.75	
						1,123.75
Whitby	2" Slack Bit.	1,000	5.05	McLaughlin Coal Co.	5,050.00	
	$\frac{3}{4}$ Slack	6,500	4.85	McLaughlin Coal Co.	31,525.00	
	Anth. Stove	260	9.60	McLaughlin Coal Co.	2,496.00	
						39,071.00
Woodstock	2" Slack Bit.	4,800	5.35	Elias Rogers Co. Ltd.	25,680.00	
						25,680.00
	Anth. Stove	75	12.50	Crown Lumber Coal & Supplies	937.50	
	Scotch Anth. Nut	30	15.25	Crown Lumber Coal & Supplies	457.50	
						1,395.00

2. Yes. 3. 24 specimens—no deductions or bonuses. 4. Yes. 5. No.
6. Yes. 7. None. 8. None.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments having been read a second time were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee, severally to consider the following Bills:—

Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the several Bills without amendments.

Ordered, That the Bills reported be severally read the third time on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. McQuesten, seconded by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the payment of \$12,000 per year to the City of Niagara Falls in lieu of taxes on property taken for the Rainbow Bridge.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

The Resolution having been read the second time was agreed to and referred to the House on Bill (No. 74).

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario), and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday *next*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday next.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Division Courts Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 83), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 86), An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Surveys Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 81), An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House on Monday next.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Report of the Secretary and Registrar of the Province of Ontario with respect to the Administration of The Companies Act, The Extra-Provincial Corporations Tax Act, The Mortmain and Charitable Uses Act, and The Companies Information Act for fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 33.*)

The House then adjourned at 5.05 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Upon what date was the beer authority to the Dopolovora Society, located in the Casa d'Italia, Barton Street East, Hamilton, granted. 2. What person or persons recommended that the said authority be granted. 3. Who were the members of said Society at time authority was granted. 4. Upon what date was this authority withdrawn. 5. For what reason or reasons was it withdrawn.

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Upon what date was the beer authority to the Italo-Canadian Club, Bay Street, Hamilton, granted. 2. What person or persons recommended that the said authority be granted. 3. Who were the members of said Society at time authority was granted. 4. Upon what date was this authority withdrawn. 5. For what reason or reasons was it withdrawn.

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the staff of the Dufferin County Gaol at Orangeville. 2. What are their respective titles, dates of appointment and salaries. 3. Who recommended their respective appointments to the Sheriff of Dufferin County, to the Provincial Secretary or to any member of the Government. 4. From April 1st, 1939, to

December 31st, 1940, how many prisoners have escaped from the Orangeville Gaol. 5. From April 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1940, have any members of the staff at Orangeville Gaol been dismissed or requested to resign and if so who were they and why were their services dispensed with. 6. Have any disciplinary measures been taken with respect to the present staff at Orangeville Gaol in relation to the escape of prisoners and, if so, give particulars. 7. Have any steps been taken by the Government with a view to merging the Orangeville Gaol with the Peel County Gaol at Brampton and, if so, specify.

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What relief payments were made to Township of King in 1940 and 1941. 2. Were any payments, direct or indirect, made to any organization or corporation in the Township of King in the way of assistance to families placed on land in 1940 and 1941.

Mr. Downer—On Tuesday next—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of the construction of the following highways: No. 24—Shelburne to Collingwood—1940, Duntroon to Stayner—1940; No. 89—Shelburne to Cookstown—1940. 2. What was the cost of maintenance of the above highways in 1940. 3. Give names of maintenance employees and amount received by each in 1940.

No. 32

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TORONTO, MONDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1941

PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were severally introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 94), intituled, "An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Elgie.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 95), intituled, "An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Strachan.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Bill (No. 96), intituled, "An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited to the Montreal Trust Company. *Mr. Conant.*

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 81):—

1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 185.

2.

Name	Date of Reinstatement
Cooper, William	Apr. 15, 1936
Kennedy, Harry	Apr. 27, 1936
Porter, Peter	Oct. 10, 1936
Gillard, M. V.	Apr. 16, 1936
Heaven, A. C.	Apr. 16, 1936
Harvey, A. L.	Apr. 16, 1936
McIntyre, D. A.	Apr. 16, 1936
Reid, R. G.	Apr. 16, 1936
Westaway, H. W.	Apr. 16, 1936
Swartman, G.	Apr. 16, 1936
Overbury, R. F.	Apr. 16, 1936
Belair, E.	June 1, 1936
Ford, A. W.	June 8, 1936
Breadner, C.	June 6, 1936
Ade, Walter	Oct. 1, 1936
Allan, John W.	Apr. 10, 1936
Brown, Orloff H.	Dec. 10, 1936
Hotchkiss, William	May 1, 1936
Joyner, Edward	June 19, 1936
Kerr, Walter B.	July 1, 1936
Kreutzwiser, H. A.	Oct. 1, 1936
McManus, Walter B.	Nov. 2, 1936
Robertson, William	Sept. 21, 1936
Tengesdal, Osmund	Nov. 24, 1936
Thomson, Andrew W.	Apr. 1, 1936
Twyman, Henry L.	July 13, 1936
Campbell, Robert A.	Aug. 1, 1936
Satterley, Frederick J.	Oct. 4, 1937
McWilliams, Hugh C.	Apr. 1, 1935
Latimer, R. George	Oct. 6, 1934
Henderson, C. T.	Apr. 17, 1935
Colley, J. W.	Aug. 1, 1937
McArthur, John	Apr. 1, 1935
Welch, N.	May 6, 1935
Ellis, W. J.	Apr. 4, 1935
Guertin, E.	Apr. 15, 1935
Johnson, Charles	Apr. 26, 1935
McEwen, A. H.	Nov. 10, 1938

Name	Date of Reinstatement
Lynch, Simon	May 3, 1935
Laginskie, John	June 11, 1936
McIntyre, Frank	May 1, 1935
Simond, Michael	May 13, 1935
Ladouceur, E.	Apr. 29, 1935
Cross, Robert	Apr. 1, 1935
Kingerski, W.	Apr. 1, 1935
Wallace, Fred	Apr. 1, 1935
Foote, C. E.	May 1, 1938
Boucher, F.	May 18, 1935
Horn, M. R.	Apr. 20, 1935
Duncan, H.	Sept. 21, 1934
Etmanskies, P. H.	May 7, 1936
Hicks, Elvin	October, 1936
Johnston, Ernie	October, 1935
Pousette, A. C. B.	March, 1935
Washburn, A.	March, 1935
Fox, Charles	
McCaughey, R. W.	Nov. 7, 1934
Martin, C.	Oct. 6, 1936
Sutherland, W.	Dec. 1, 1935
Corkhill, F.	Available from time to time.
Anderson, John	Nov. 26, 1936
Anderson, Ed.	May 2, 1936
Colman, Charles	June 17, 1936
Dyer, Herb.	Jan. 29, 1934
Herbert, Cecil	Apr. 10, 1936
Jackson, J. E.	January, 1935
Leavoy, R.	Jan. 1, 1935
Miller, W.	Apr. 13, 1936
Montgomery, R.	Dec. 16, 1936
Phipps, H. R.	May 4, 1936
Savord, Joseph	Nov. 2, 1936
Scott, W. A.	July 6, 1936
Smith, W. T.	May 19, 1936
Templeton, J. F.	May 13, 1935
Welch, D. H.	Nov. 23, 1936

The remaining 110 are listed in Return number 63 of 1936.

3. Thirty-eight names were stricken from the Hunter Report as improperly included and the balance formed the eligible list, but it is not known how many have died, left the Province, or passed the age of seventy.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 125):—

1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. (a) Three (Industrial Farm, Seagram)—

Camp No. 1—Lukinto Lake, 10 miles east of Long Lac.

Camp No. 2—West Camp, 4 miles east of Long Lac.

Camp No. 3—David Lake, 19 miles east of Long Lac.

(b) Two—Lukinto Lake and David Lake.

2. (a)

	Provincial Secretary's Dept.	Highways Dept.	Total
Camp No. 1.....	\$ 7,756.21	\$26,400.00	\$34,156.21
Camp No. 2.....	4,073.20	6,750.00	10,823.20
Camp No. 3.....	6,609.80	17,580.00	24,189.80
	<hr/> \$18,439.21	<hr/> \$50,730.00	<hr/> \$69,169.21

(b) Camp No. 1..... \$ 55,695.83

Camp No. 2..... 24,024.17

Camp No. 3..... 34,480.81

\$114,200.81

3. Camp No. 1—January 5th, 1940.

Camp No. 2—March 1st, 1940.

Camp No. 3—May 3rd, 1940.

4. (a) Camp No. 1—97.7 April 1st to December 31st, 1940.

Camp No. 2—50.3 April 1st to July 31st, 1940.

Camp No. 3—90.8 May 3rd to December 31st, 1940.

(b) Camp No. 1—13 April 1st to December 31st, 1940.

Camp No. 2—7 April 1st to July 31st, 1940.

Camp No. 3—12 May 3rd to December 31st, 1940.

5. Roadwork accomplished by inmates of the Seagram Industrial Farm to December 31st, 1940. Clearing 405 acres; Grubbing 240 acres; Ditching 10,000 cubic yards; Earth Excavation 300,000 cubic yards; Log Culverts (5), 5,240 lineal feet. In doing the above work, 47 miles of tote road were built of which 42 miles are passable by truck.

6. *Road equipment purchased*: 4, D30, 2 yd. International Dump Trucks at \$1,125.00 each. *Road equipment taken over on rental purchase plan*: 2, D7, Caterpillars with angledozer at \$630.00 per month for each combination, for 10 months; 1, RD7, Caterpillar with angledozer at \$630.00 per month, for 10 months; 1, D7, Caterpillar with snow plow at \$510.00 per month, for 10 months. *Road equipment rented*: 1, 75B, Lorrain Gas Shovel, 1¼ yd., with dipper stick and dragline boom at \$750.00 per month; 4, 2 yd. Ford Dump Trucks at \$5.00 per day each; 1, RD7, Caterpillar with angledozer at \$4.00 per hour, including operator's wages; 1 set Heavy Duty Tractor Sleighs at \$35.00 per month. 1 set Heavy Duty Tractor Sleighs at \$45.00 per month.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 129):—

1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

The Honourable the Minister of Lands and Forests replied as follows:—

1. MINISTER OF LANDS AND FORESTS

Date	Hours	Passengers
July 29th, 1937.....	.40	Minister W. C. Cain
July 30th, 1937.....	3.00	Minister W. C. Cain
July 31st, 1937.....	.25	Minister and party of 2
August 1st, 1937.....	2.20	Minister and party of 2
August 14th, 1937.....	2.45	Minister
August 15th, 1937.....	2.40	Minister

MINISTER OF LANDS AND FORESTS—Continued

Date	Hours	Passengers
August 17th, 1937.....	2.45	Minister L. Fine
August 18th, 1937.....	.45	Minister H. Fine
August 24th, 1938.....	2.05	Minister
October 19th, 1938.....	1.05	Minister and party of 2
July 2nd, 1939.....	1.30	Minister and party of 2
August 31st, 1939.....	1.05	Minister and party of 2
September 1st, 1939.....	1.35	Minister
September 1st, 1939.....	2.25	Minister
September 2nd, 1939.....	2.45	Minister
May 21st, 1940.....	1.35	Minister
September 25th, 1940.....	1.15	Minister
Total.....	27.60	

MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS

Date	Hours	Passengers
September 19th, 1938.....	1.10	Minister R. A. McAllister
September 21st, 1940.....	2.45	Minister R. A. McAllister Mayor Parker
September 22nd, 1938.....	2.00	Minister
September 23rd, 1938.....	4.10	Minister R. A. McAllister
July 1st, 1939.....	1.15	Minister
Total.....	10.80	

ATTORNEY-GENERAL

Date	Hours	Passengers
August 23rd, 1938.....	2.50	Attorney-General and party of 2
May 26th, 1940.....	.30	Attorney-General and party of 1
May 28th, 1940.....	.35	Attorney-General
Total.....	3.15	

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

Date	Hours	Passengers
July 6th, 1938.....	.45	Minister

2. See answer to 1.

3. Inspector A. S. O'Hara, Dept. of Health.....	9.30	hours
S. Harris, Dept. of Health.....	3.20	"
Nurse Abbott, Dept. of Health.....	3.20	"
Inspector D. E. Moore, Dept. of Health.....	2.45	"
Inspector S. Shannon, Dept. of Education.....	1.15	"
Constable J. Higgins, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	4.55	"
Inspector A. R. Knight, Dept. of Attorney General.....	2.80	"
Constable Blain, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	1.45	"
Constable P. J. Poland, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	2.50	"
Constable L. E. Nix, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	.90	"
Constable R. G. Pike, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	3.60	"
Constable D. Hamilton, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	.30	"
Constable F. Christie, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	2.80	"
Crown Attorney E. D. Wilkins, Dept. of Attorney-General..	4.30	"
Sergeant W. A. Page, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	4.30	"
Magistrate W. M. Cooper, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	5.65	"
Crown Attorney O'Flynn, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	.65	"
Constable T. S. Crawford, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	.35	"
W. B. Common, K.C., Dept. of Attorney-General.....	3.35	"
Actg. Cr. Attorney J. McEwen, Dept. of Attorney-General..	4.05	"
Official Court Reporter S. Watkinson, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	4.05	"
Constable H. S. Johns, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	1.05	"
Constable W. F. Gray, Dept. of Attorney-General.....	7.30	"
E. L. Torrey, Investigator, Dept. of Public Welfare.....	1.20	"
K. M. Morrison, Dept. of Public Welfare.....	11.20	"
W. A. Grant, Dept. of Public Welfare.....	7.30	"
J. A. Dignam, Provincial Auditor's Office.....	1.25	"
G. H. Evans, Provincial Auditor's Office.....	1.25	"
A. L. McDougall, Dept. of Highways.....	2.15	"
H. R. Phipps, Dept. of Highways.....	6.35	"
E. Smith, Dept. of Highways.....	4.15	"
C. H. Nelson, Dept. of Highways.....	11.15	"
F. Frances, Dept. of Highways.....	4.15	"
C. Tackaberry, Dept. of Highways.....	7.00	"
A. M. Mills, Dept. of Highways.....	1.45	"
A. E. Cave, Dept. of Mines.....	.55	"
D. F. Cooper, Dept. of Mines.....	2.80	"
M. W. Bartley, Dept. of Mines.....	.20	"
J. Hardman, Dept. of Game and Fisheries.....	2.40	"
R. D. Windsor, Dept. of Game and Fisheries.....	23.40	"
W. Faubert, Dept. of Game and Fisheries.....	9.45	"
C. D. Liddle, Dept. of Game and Fisheries.....	10.70	"
W. McKenzie, Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3.40	"
G. Taylor, Hydro-Electric Power Commission.....	3.40	"
W. Catton, Dept. of Provincial Secretary.....	1.35	"

4. 28. 5. 9.

6. Purchased From	Date	Cost	Type
Stinson Aircraft Corp., Wayne, Mich.....	June, 1937	\$24,055.28	Stinson, SR-9F

Purchased From	Date	Cost	Type
Stinson Aircraft Corpn., Wayne, Mich.....	June, 1937	24,055.28	Stinson, SR-9F
British North American Airways, Toronto, Ont.	April, 1938	16,000.00	Stinson, SR-9F
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Stinson Aircraft Corpn., Wayne, Mich.....	Feb., 1938	24,874.73	Stinson, SR-9-FM
Stinson Aircraft Corpn., Wayne, Mich.....	Feb., 1938	24,800.96	Stinson, SR-9-FM
Stinson Aircraft Corpn., Wayne, Mich.....	Sept., 1940	25,549.99	Stinson, SR-10
Irving Oil Co., Ltd., St. John, New Brunswick.	Jan., 1941	12,500.00	Stinson, SR-9F
Graham & Howe, Attor- neys-at-Law, Seattle, Wash.....	Jan., 1941	18,219.00	Stinson, SR-9-FM

7. 4. 8. 10. 9. Yes.

Type	When	Where	Value
D. H. 61	May 23, 1936	Gander Lake (Sioux Lookout District)	\$ 4,000.00
Moth	June 8, 1936	Port Arthur	1,500.00
Moth	Aug. 12, 1936	Near Upper Manitou Lake, Twin Lakes	1,500.00
Moth	Mar. 18, 1940	Sault Ste. Marie	1,500.00
Buhl	June 22, 1940	Small Lake near Meggisans Lake, Algoma District	10,734.00
Vedette	Aug. 30, 1940	Orient Bay	2,500.00

10. Accidents happened at Gander Lake (Sioux Lookout District), Port Arthur, Small Lake near Upper Twin Lakes, Caribou Lake, Sault Ste. Marie (2), Garden River, Small Lake near Meggisans Lake, Orient Bay and Biscotasing. Cost of repairs to machines salvaged—Moth, \$1,960.14; Moth, \$2,246.20; Buhl, \$10,629.56; and one Moth now being repaired at an estimated cost of \$1,000.00 to \$1,500.00.

Mr. Acres asked the following Question (No. 131):—

1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. (a) A Royal Commission to investigate the affairs and financial position of the Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.; (b) Hon. Mr. Justice McTague, A. E.

Dyment, Esq., Sir James Dunn, Mr. G. W. Mason, K.C., Mr. R. M. Fowler, Mr. H. O. Taylor, Official Reporter, Mr. E. S. Thorne, Registrar; (c) H. O. Taylor, \$1,883.10; E. S. Thorne, \$277.50; Total \$2,160.60; (d) \$2,160.60 plus incidental miscellaneous expenditures of \$145.32, making a total expenditure of \$2,305.92.

ROYAL COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE ONTARIO HOSPITALS

1. Honorarium—	
Commissioner Dr. W. H. Avery.....	\$ 3,850.00
2. Travelling Expenses—	
(a) Commissioners:	
C. R. Magone.....	\$397.97
L. Conacher.....	268.25
(b) Registrar:	
A. E. Baker.....	229.55
(c) Counsel:	
E. H. Silk.....	357.75
(d) Shorthand Reporters:	
F. J. Sperapani.....	228.15
(e) Constable:	
H. G. Rogers.....	112.55
	<hr/> 1,594.22
3. Shorthand Transcriptions—	
Canadian Newspaper Services.....	425.40
4. Miscellaneous—	
Telegrams, Telephone, Stationery, Printing, Postage and	
Sundry Expenses.....	502.34
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Total Cost.....	\$ 6,371.96
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ROYAL COMMISSION INTO HIGHWAY TRANSPORTATION IN ONTARIO

1. Honoraria—	
Mr. Justice Chevrier.....	\$6,000.00
E. R. Sayles.....	5,000.00
Professor Young.....	5,000.00
	<hr/> \$16,000.00
2. Travelling Expenses—	
Mr. Justice Chevrier.....	\$ 226.10
E. R. Sayles.....	1,809.20
	<hr/> 2,035.30
3. Counsel—	
Mr. Joseph Singer.....	4,100.00
4. Economist—	
M. D. Wilson.....	10,263.90

5. Registrar—		
D. C. Wells.....	\$	1,724.81
6. Shorthand Reporters—		
R. Brydie.....	\$7,108.00	
H. Redmond.....	245.24	
E. M. Halter.....	44.79	
O. Robitaille.....	100.00	
	— — — — —	7,498.03
7. Advertising—		
Evening Telegram.....	\$	53.55
Globe Printing Co.....	54.60	
Toronto Star, Ltd.....	51.54	
	—————	159.69
8. Printing—		
Mundy, Goodfellow Printing Co., Ltd.....		1,429.50
9. Caretaker—		
J. H. Best.....		100.00
10. Witnesses—		
Sundry Persons.....		282.84
11. Stationery—		
Callow Bros.....	\$	60.70
Grand & Toy, Ltd.....	81.60	
Litho Print, Ltd.....	68.46	
Might Directories, Ltd.....	111.98	
Stainton & Evis, Ltd.....	49.00	
Warwick Bros. & Rutter, Ltd.....	25.37	
	—————	397.11
12. Miscellaneous—		
Postage, Telegrams, Telephone and Sundry Expenses.....		542.10
	— — — — —	
Total Cost.....	\$44,533.28	
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ROYAL COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE THE HOMEWOOD SANITARIUM

(b) F. H. Barlow, Esq., K.C., Master of the Supreme Court of Ontario, was appointed Commissioner. The following reporters were employed: N. R. Butcher & Co.; Alice B. Cabeldu; L. Harding; Dr. W. W. Barraclough, called as an expert witness.

(c) F. H. Barlow paid \$1,000 honorarium (by the Attorney-General); F. H. Barlow, \$183.30 expenses; N. R. Butcher & Co., \$112.60; Alice B. Cabeldu, \$310.25; L. Harding, \$119.40; Dr. W. W. Barraclough, \$120.00, expert witness fees; Dr. W. W. Barraclough, \$27.00, expenses.

In addition to the sums set out in (c), the following amounts were spent: Mrs. Eva P. McIntosh, a witness, \$30.00, as conduct money; Miscellaneous, \$20.90.

(d) Total cost, \$1,923.45.

Mr. Spence asked the following Question (No. 157):—

1. How many loans were made to settlers by the Settlers' Loan Commissioner.
2. How many of these loans were outstanding in whole or in part on December 31st, 1940.
3. What amount of these loans was outstanding on December 31st, 1940, and of the total amount indicate: (a) Amount in arrears; (b) Amount not in arrears.
4. What amount of interest was past due on December 31st, 1940.
5. What agency is now collecting these loans.
6. When was the position of Settlers' Loan Commissioner abolished.
7. When was the practice of making loans to Settlers under The Northern Development Act abolished, or discontinued.

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. 5,827.
2. 2,400.
3. (a) Amount in arrears (Principal), \$415,251.55; (b) Amount not in arrears (Principal), deferred payments, \$123,910.08; Total, \$539,161.63.
4. \$169,490.60.
5. Commissioner of Agricultural Loans.
6. By Order-in-Council dated 20th May, 1936, the duties of the Settlers' Loan Commissioner were transferred to the Commissioner of Agricultural Loans, who was authorized to act, without remuneration, in the place of the former Settlers' Loan Commissioner.
7. October 31st, 1934.

Mr. Summerville asked the following Question (No. 158):—

1. What was (a) the quantity and (b) the value of the stock of common brick and of tapestry brick at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1940.
2. What was the value of the stock of the following products at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, as of December 31st, 1940, viz.: (a) Floor and wall tile; (b) Spanish roofing tile; (c) Hollow building tile; (d) Agricultural tile.
3. When was the manufacture of clay products discontinued at this institution.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

	(a) Quantity	(b) Value
1. Common Brick.....	377,439	\$5,073.39
Tapestry Brick.....	124,036	2,527.25
Total.....	501,475	\$7,600.64
2. (a) \$8,464.27; (b) \$651.03; (c) \$24,497.17; (d) \$2,680.08.		
3. January 13th, 1940—Plant closed due to war conditions.		

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 162):—

1. How much was spent for motor car rentals by each Department of the Government in the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940.
2. How much was paid to members of the civil service for the same period with respect to mileage for use of their motor cars on Government business, specifying the amount spent by each Department.
3. What is the present mileage rate allowed with respect to

personally-owned motor cars used by members of the civil service on Government business and what are the present rules and regulations respecting such allowances.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Car Rentals—Agriculture, \$24,899.77; Education, \$1,895.23; Health, \$1,195.85; Labour, \$316.89; Lands & Forests, \$2,014.28; Mines, \$1,744.28; Provincial Secretary, \$710.44; Provincial Treasurer, \$4.50; Public Welfare, \$5,116.38; Public Works, \$35.01. 2. Mileage Allowances—Agriculture, \$74,946.31; Attorney-General, \$103,073.29; Education, \$44,737.70; Game & Fisheries, \$20,176.65; Health, \$19,001.21; Highways, \$285,197.02; Insurance, \$1,837.84; Labour, \$32,922.79; Lands & Forests, \$52,832.98; Mines, \$3,685.24; Municipal Affairs, \$2,647.61; Prime Minister, \$213.77; Provincial Auditor, \$689.53; Provincial Secretary, \$12,065.35; Provincial Treasurer, \$7,781.23; Public Welfare, \$85,357.40; Public Works, \$4,115.79. 3. Mileage Rate—Five cents a mile in Southern Ontario, and seven cents a mile in Northern Ontario. The dividing line between Southern and Northern Ontario is as follows:—

“Beginning at Penetanguishene through Midland follow Highway No. 12 to its junction with No. 7 north of Sunderland. Follow No. 7 eastward to Perth, No. 15 to Carleton Place, No. 29 to Arnprior, No. 17 to Renfrew, the paved County Road from Renfrew through Douglas to Pembroke, No. 17 Pembroke to Chalk River; the above named Highways to be included in Southern Ontario.

There is also a ruling that on direct trips to places served by rail, railway fare only may be charged.

In respect to Question (No. 76), regarding the cost of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission addition to Head Office, the Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Challies, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act.

Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa.

Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company.

Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.

Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins.

Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941.

Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company.

Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario).

Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act.

The following Bills were severally read the second time:—

Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 92), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Bill (No. 93), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider the following Bill:—

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with an Amendment.

The Amendment, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Division Courts Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Public Service Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 83), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Carr reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 86), An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Surveys Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 81), An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1942, the following sums:—

66. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Health.....	\$ 278,300.00
67. To defray the expenses of the Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nursing Branch, Department of Health.....	28,450.00
68. To defray the expenses of the Dental Service Branch, Department of Health.....	13,600.00
69. To defray the expenses of the Inspection of Training Schools for Nurses Branch, Department of Health.....	17,450.00

70. To defray the expenses of the Epidemiology Branch, Department of Health.....	\$ 208,400.00
71. To defray the expenses of the Venereal Diseases Branch, Department of Health.....	157,650.00
72. To defray the expenses of the Tuberculosis Prevention Branch, Department of Health.....	170,440.00
73. To defray the expenses of the Industrial Hygiene Branch, Department of Health.....	70,900.00
74. To defray the expenses of the Sanitary Engineering Branch, Department of Health.....	48,900.00
75. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Branch, Department of Health.....	153,400.00
76. To defray the expenses of the Laboratory Division Branch, Department of Health.....	82,370.00
77. To defray the expenses of the Hospitals, General Office, Grants, etc., General Expenses, Ontario Hospitals, Department of Health.....	3,831,850.00
78. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brampton, Department of Health.....	7,975.00
79. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Brockville, Department of Health.....	412,600.00
80. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Cobourg, Department of Health.....	160,300.00
81. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Fort William, Department of Health.....	68,800.00
82. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Hamilton, Department of Health.....	547,300.00
83. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Kingston, Department of Health.....	445,900.00
84. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, Department of Health.....	131,200.00
85. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, London, Department of Health.....	623,900.00
86. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto, Department of Health.....	515,800.00
87. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, New Toronto, Concord Unit, Department of Health.....	39,100.00
88. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, Department of Health.....	571,200.00
89. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Penetanguishene, Department of Health.....	254,400.00
90. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Toronto, Department of Health.....	467,000.00
91. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Whitby, Department of Health.....	703,300.00
92. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospital, Woodstock, Department of Health.....	567,800.00
93. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Psychiatric Hospital, Department of Health.....	126,400.00
1. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Agriculture.....	353,407.50

2. To defray the expenses of the Statistics and Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	\$ 12,225.00
3. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	125,720.00
4. To defray the expenses of the Live Stock Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	73,775.00
5. To defray the expenses of the Institutes Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	70,335.00
6. To defray the expenses of the Dairy Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	128,280.00
7. To defray the expenses of the Milk Control Board, Department of Agriculture.....	49,350.00
8. To defray the expenses of the Fruit Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	95,705.00
9. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Representatives Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	330,300.00
10. To defray the expenses of the Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	44,488.00
11. To defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Markets Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	31,375.00
12. To defray the expenses of the Kemptville Agricultural School, Department of Agriculture.....	96,560.00
13. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Veterinary College, Department of Agriculture.....	84,258.00
14. To defray the expenses of the Western Ontario Experimental Farm, Department of Agriculture.....	29,536.00
15. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard, Department of Agriculture.....	13,320.00
16. To defray the expenses of the Demonstration Farm, Hearst, Department of Agriculture.....	5,800.00
17. To defray the expenses of the Northern Ontario Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	24,375.00
18. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Agricultural College, Department of Agriculture.....	807,308.00
19. To defray the expenses of the Co-operation and Markets Branch, Department of Agriculture.....	25,000.00
94. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Highways.....	401,800.00
95. To defray the expenses of the Division Offices, Department of Highways.....	420,000.00
96. To defray the expenses of the Municipal Roads Branch, Department of Highways.....	75,000.00
97. To defray the expenses of the Gasoline Tax Branch, Department of Highways.....	72,000.00
98. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous Permits Branch, Department of Highways.....	21,000.00
99. To defray the expenses of the Motor Vehicles Branch, Department of Highways.....	170,000.00
136. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Prime Minister.....	19,400.00
137. To defray the expenses of the Office of Executive Council, Department of Prime Minister.....	11,025.00

138.	To defray the expenses of the Travel and Publicity Bureau, Department of Prime Minister.....	\$ 300,000.00
139.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Civil Service Commissioner, Department of Prime Minister.....	11,460.00
140.	To defray the expenses of the Office of King's Printer, Department of Prime Minister.....	36,775.00
141.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Controller of Finances, Department of Prime Minister.....	11,910.00
152.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	87,640.00
153.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Budget Committee, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	9,420.00
154.	To defray the expenses of the Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	44,025.00
155.	To defray the expenses of the Controller of Revenue Branch, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	404,460.00
156.	To defray the expenses of the Post Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	148,140.00
157.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Treasurer.....	800,000.00
142.	To defray the expenses of the Office of Provincial Auditor....	112,200.00
58.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	75,100.00
59.	To defray the expenses of the Districts, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	230,500.00
60.	To defray the expenses of the Game Animals and Birds, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	25,000.00
61.	To defray the expenses of the Macdiarmid, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	3,000.00
62.	To defray the expenses of the Biological and Fish Culture Branch, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	240,000.00
63.	To defray the expenses of the Grants, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	5,400.00
64.	To defray the expenses of the Wolf Bounty, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	40,000.00
65.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, General, Department of Game and Fisheries.....	20,000.00
143.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	57,785.00
144.	To defray the expenses of the Registrar-General's Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	80,265.00
145.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Reformatories and Prisons Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	172,500.00
146.	To defray the expenses of the Board of Parole, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	17,000.00
147.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	776,000.00
148.	To defray the expenses of the Mercer Reformatory, Toronto, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	142,000.00
149.	To defray the expenses of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, Department of Provincial Secretary.....	560,000.00

150. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Boys, Bowmanville, Department of Provincial Secretary	\$ 154,000.00
151. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training School for Girls, Galt, Department of Provincial Secretary	89,000.00
101. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Labour	71,635.00
102. To defray the expenses of the Industry and Labour Board, Department of Labour	13,555.00
103. To defray the expenses of the Apprenticeship Branch Department of Labour	27,430.00
104. To defray the expenses of the Boiler Inspection Branch, Department of Labour	32,000.00
105. To defray the expenses of the Factory Inspection Branch, Department of Labour	10,595.00
106. To defray the expenses of the Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers, Department of Labour	26,980.00
107. To defray the expenses of the Employment Offices, Department of Labour	75,000.00
108. To defray the expenses of the Minimum Wage Branch, Department of Labour	38,975.00
109. To defray the expenses of the Composite Inspection Division Branch, Department of Labour	110,830.00
110. To defray the expenses of the War Emergency Training Branch, Department of Labour	400,000.00
111. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Government Employment Offices, Department of Labour	35,000.00
158. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Welfare	219,975.00
159. To defray the expenses of the Children's Aid Branch, Department of Public Welfare	188,200.00
160. To defray the expenses of the Mothers' Allowances Commission, Department of Public Welfare	4,660,650.00
161. To defray the expenses of the Old Age Pensions Commission, Department of Public Welfare	3,564,000.00
162. To defray the expenses of the Old Age Pensions Commission Branches, Department of Public Welfare	10,291,500.00
129. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Mines	280,525.00
130. To defray the expenses of the Gas and Oil Well Inspector's Branch, Department of Mines	10,000.00
131. To defray the expenses of the Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator, Department of Mines	5,000.00
132. To defray the expenses of the Temiskaming Testing Laboratories, Department of Mines	24,750.00
133. To defray the expenses of the Offices of Mining Recorders, Department of Mines	39,000.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions; also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated April 7th, 1941, That there be laid before the House a Return showing: 1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935. (*Sessional Papers No. 56.*)

Also, Annual Report of the Game and Fisheries Department, Ontario, for year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 9.*)

The House then adjourned at 11.20 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

NOTICE OF MOTION

Mr. Drew—On Wednesday next—Resolution—That in the opinion of this Legislature the administration and control of the forest resources of this Province should be placed under the direction of a public body to be known as the Ontario Forest Resources Commission, organized along similar lines and with similar powers to those of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission.

No. 33

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 97), intituled, "An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time to-morrow.

Mr. Drew asked the following Question (No. 70):—

1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. \$535.40 for Departmental Officials; no bills rendered by Cabinet Ministers.
2. Nothing paid to date; no bills rendered.

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 140):—

1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through:
(a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 27,350,306 gallons; \$29,439,979.95 value. 2. (a) 18,386,797 gallons, \$16,612,456.80 value; (b) 8,963,509 gallons, \$12,827,523.15 value; (c) Answered by Number 1.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 154):—

1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. 77.23 miles.

	(a)	(b)
2. Year ending March 31st, 1937.....	\$ 417,739.88	\$ 57,717.71
Year ending March 31st, 1938.....	2,853,162.24	252,644.30
Year ending March 31st, 1939.....	3,091,084.20	289,036.31
Year ending March 31st, 1940.....	1,729,243.12	269,411.39
April 1st to December 31st, 1940.....	559,207.74	289,217.34
3. North Bay, Westerly.....	Gravel Mulch	2.50
Suturgeon Falls, Easterly.....	Concrete	10.20
Wahnapiatae, Easterly.....	Concrete	7.90
Sudbury, Easterly.....	Concrete	6.50
Sudbury, Westerly.....	Retread	12.20
Spanish, East and West.....	Concrete	7.00
Blind River, Easterly.....	Concrete	5.04
Blind River, Westerly.....	Concrete	4.08
Sault Ste. Marie, Easterly.....	Retread	.62
From 0.62 miles East of Sault Ste. Marie, Easterly..	Concrete	21.19

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 163):—

1. Where were the motor car markers for 1939 and 1940 produced. 2. How many were manufactured in each of the years mentioned in (1), specifying the different types. 3. What was the manufacturing cost of single plates, sets of two plates and sets of three plates respectively. 4. What was the selling price to the Department of Highways in each of the cases mentioned in (3). 5. If manufactured at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, what was the number of paid help employed and in connection with such paid help state: (a) Name of employee; (b) Home address of employee; (c) Category of each employee; (d) Wage rate of each employee and total amount paid each in each of the years mentioned in (1). 6. Who, if anyone, was employed to give general oversight

and direction respecting manufacturing operations, what was his home address and what were the general terms and conditions as to his services and remuneration therefor.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. The Ontario Reformatory, Guelph.

2.	1939	1940
Passenger Plates.....	622,017 pairs	602,019 pairs
Commercial Plates.....	90,000 pairs	90,000 pairs
Trailer Plates.....	50,000 only	50,000 only
Two Purpose Plates.....	3,500 pairs	3,000 pairs
Doctor's Plates.....	6,000 pairs	6,000 pairs
Motor "Dealers" Plates.....	1,700 pairs	1,700 pairs
Motor Cycle Plates.....	6,500 sets of 3	6,500 sets of 3
Public Vehicle Plates.....	900 pairs	900 pairs
School Vehicle Plates.....	150 pairs	150 pairs
Sample Plates.....	100 only	100 only
Public Commercial Vehicle.....	9,150 only	8,850 only

3.	1939 (cents)	1940 (cents)
Passenger Plates.....	.079145 per pair	.076754 per pair
Commercial Plates.....	.099129 per pair	.086267 per pair
Trailer Plates.....	.048243 only	.043924 only
Two Purpose Plates.....	.074191 per pair	.075423 per pair
Doctor's Plates.....	.075623 per pair	.077043 per pair
Motor Dealer's Plates.....	.071494 per pair	.072976 per pair
Motor Cycle Plates.....	.058325 per set of 3	.060598 per set of 3
Motor Cycle Dealers.....	.084800 per set of 3	.076000 per set of 3
Public Commercial Vehicles...	.029614 only	.029938 only
Public Vehicle.....	.039378 per pair	.041500 per pair
School Vehicle.....	.041400 per pair	.041733 per pair
Sample Plates.....	.041200 only	.046700 only

4. The price charged to the Department of Highways for the manufacture of license plates for the years 1939 and 1940 was eight and one-half cents per pair for all types of plates.

5. Four. (a) Of the four, Mr. J. Whiteside only is employed by the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph. Names of other three not known; (b) Home address of Mr. Whitesides is 18 Boulton Avenue, Guelph. Addresses of other three not known; (c) Mr. Whiteside employed as Guard in charge of prisoners, and to supervise release and shipment of all license plates authorized by the Department of Highways, Ontario. The remaining three men consisted of one supervisor, one pressman and one packer; (d) Salary of Mr. Whiteside was \$1,500.00 per annum. Wage rates and amounts paid to the other three not known.

6. The St. Thomas Metal Signs Limited, and Frederick Sutherland (home address, St. Thomas, Ontario). General terms and condition of services were as follows: (1) Direction and supervision of production of license plates in accord-

ance with the specifications of the Department of Highways, Ontario; (2) The maintenance of the Motor Marker Plant at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, in good running order and the provision of all dies used in the production of license plates; (3) The provision and payment of wages of all the necessary skilled labour used in the production of license plates. Remuneration paid for above services for 1939 and 1940 markers was one and three-quarter cents per pair for all types of license plates.

Mr. Challies asked the following Question (No. 164):—

1. For the years 1933, 1934, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939: (a) How many persons were sentenced to prison in the Province; (b) What was the average per capita cost per diem, for the maintenance of inmates in Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms; (c) What was the total number of days' stay of inmates in the Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. (a) 1933.....	14,538
1934.....	13,509
1936.....	16,356
1937.....	20,618
1938.....	23,649
1939.....	27,926
(b) 1933.....	\$.9049
1934.....	1.1169
1936.....	1.1613
1937.....	1.2529
1938.....	1.5820
1939.....	1.3503
(c) 1933.....	615,719
1934.....	537,658
1936.....	475,902
1937.....	529,714
1938.....	533,314
1939.....	597,309

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 165):—

1. Upon what date was the beer authority to the Dopolovora Society, located in the Casa d'Italia, Barton Street East, Hamilton, granted. 2. What person or persons recommended that the said authority be granted. 3. Who were the members of said Society at time authority was granted. 4. Upon what date was this authority withdrawn. 5. For what reason or reasons was it withdrawn.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 30th January, 1940. 2. Application of the Organization considered on its merits, and Authority granted by the Board. 3. See list below. 4. 25th June, 1940. 5. Organization banned by amendment to Defence of Canada Regulations.

HAMILTON DOPOLAVORO SOCIETY

644-646 Barton St. E., Hamilton, Ont.

CERTIFIED LIST OF MEMBERS AS OF MARCH 6TH, 1940

Alboini, V.	De Rubeis, F.	Lo Cicero, V.
Andreatta, A.	Di Bernardo, F.	Malisani, G.
Baffi, G.	Di Cenzo, E.	Mancini, P.
Bartolini, A.	Di Cenzo, F.	Maragno, C.
Bartolini, S.	DiCenzo, M.	Marangoni, G.
Bergamaschi, N.	Di Filippo, D.	Marcogliese, A.
Berti, S.	Di Filippo, L.	Pari, T.
Bin, M.	Di Gennaro, L.	Marinelli, D.
Bianco, A.	D'Iorio, P.	Marini, C.
Borrillo, A.	Di Medio, T.	Martini, S.
Borrillo, D.	Distefan, P.	Martini, A.
Bracci, P.	Di Stefano, A.	Mascia, L.
Bucci, A.	Emili, G.	Masi, F.
Campanaro, M.	Emili, N.	Masi, N.
Cantelmo, P.	Faiella, R.	Mastrodicasa, A.
Capponi, G.	Fazio, M.	Mataloni, G.
Celeste, C.	Ferrara, F.	Mauro, A.
Celeste, M.	Ferri, P.	Mondolo, A.
Cianciolo, L.	Finocchio, M.	Montemurri, F.
Ciavarella, M.	Fioravante, D.	Montesanto, G.
Ciavarro, A.	Fratesi, A.	Montesanto, V.
Colamartini, I.	Friscolanti, L.	Mostacci, P.
Colangelo, B.	Galanti, S.	Nervino, R.
Colangelo, U.	Galassi, G.	Nusca, E.
Corsini, D.	Galassi, R.	Olivieri, A.
Corsini, R.	Galasso, R.	Olivieri, A.
Corrado, N.	Gattafoni, L.	Olivieri, D.
Corso, G.	Ghilardi, A.	Olivieri, P.
Crustolo, M.	Giacinti, G.	Paglari, L.
Cupido, G.	Giacinti, S.	Pantalone, A.
D'Alessandro, G.	Genovesi, M.	Paolone, A.
D'Ambrosio, C.	Giacomelli, O.	Paolone, P.
D'Amore, F.	Gris, M.	Parente, (N)
D'Angelo, R.	Iacchetti, F.	Pataracchia, H.
D'Aurelio, D.	Iampietro, E.	Peroni, P.
De Conno, P.	Iampietro, M.	Piovesana, A.
Del Col, G.	Intini, D.	Quaglia, O.
Del Piero, A.	Lanza, J.	Quaglia, G.
De Rubeis, A.	Lanza, J.	Ranalli, A.
De Rubeis, F.	Lanza, L.	Ranalli, F.

Ranalli, V.	Sebastiano, R.	Tatti, V.
Rizzuto, B.	Sergi, A.	Termini, N.
Roncaioli, G.	Serravalle, E.	Troisi, S.
Salciccioli, E.	Sguigna, E.	Verticchio, E.
Salciccioli, T.	Silenzi, A.	Villani, N.
Sanguiro, E.	Spallacci, N.	Viola, A.
Santarelli, E.	Spallacci, S.	Viola, F.
Savelli, D.	Spezza, A.	Zaffiro, F.
Sbranchella, T.	Susi, P.	Barrese, H.
Sebastiani, P.	Tatti, G.	

Certified correct,

(Signed) A. DEL PIERO,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Hamilton, March 6th, 1940.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 166):—

1. Upon what date was the beer authority to the Italo-Canadian Club, Bay Street, Hamilton, granted. 2. What person or persons recommended that the said authority be granted. 3. Who were the members of said Society at time authority was granted. 4. Upon what date was this authority withdrawn. 5. For what reason or reasons was it withdrawn.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

1. 1st April, 1940. 2. Application of the Organization considered on its merits, and Authority granted by the Board. 3. See list below. 4. 31st March, 1941. 5. On recommendation of the Inspection Department of the Board.

LIST OF SOME OF THE MEMBERS OF HAMILTON ITALIZAN RECREATION CLUB

Agro, Sam	Cappelli, John	D'Aurelia, Dominic
Agro, Dr. V.	Castiglione, A.	Deluca, John
Agro, Carmen	Comiglio, R.	Deluca, Aldo
Agro, Sam	Castellani, J.	Figliola, Joseph
Arnone, Edward	Campanella, N.	Figliola, Charles
Arnone, Charles	Campanella, Salvatore	Florio, Manfredo
Belluzzi, John	Campanella, John	Florio, Rudolph
Belluzzi, Ugo	Cappelli, Anthony	Iacone, A.
Bartollotta, Joe	Chiodo, Peter	Ingrassia, Frank
Borsellino, Joe	Chrecioli, Charles	Ingrassia, Jerry
Basilio, John	Chiarelli, T.	Nardella, L.
Borsellino, C.	Ciaravella, A.	Pitirri, Felice
Borsellino, Nick	Cicero, Charles	Rallo, Joe
Borsellino, Ed	Cicero, Samuel	Restivo, Joe
Borsellino, S.	Curto, P.	Re, Anthony
Bartollotta, C.	Curto, Sam	Sardo, Angelo
Bartollotta, S.	Curto, Angelo	Sardo, B.
Barone, Vincenzo	Curto, Joe	Scime, Edward
Capobianco, L.	Curto, John	Scime, Samuel

Speziale, V.
Speziale, P.
Tazzeo, James

Unelli, Angelo
Unelli, A.
Valvasori, E.

Zamprogna, M.
Zamprogna, Hugo

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 167):—

1. Who are the members of the staff of the Dufferin County Gaol at Orangeville. 2. What are their respective titles, dates of appointment and salaries. 3. Who recommended their respective appointments to the Sheriff of Dufferin County, to the Provincial Secretary or to any member of the Government. 4. From April 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1940, how many prisoners have escaped from the Orangeville Gaol. 5. From April 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1940, have any members of the staff at Orangeville Gaol been dismissed or requested to resign and if so who were they and why were their services dispensed with. 6. Have any disciplinary measures been taken with respect to the present staff at Orangeville Gaol in relation to the escape of prisoners and, if so, give particulars. 7. Have any steps been taken by the Government with a view to merging the Orangeville Gaol with the Peel County Gaol at Brampton and, if so, specify.

The Honourable the Provincial Secretary replied as follows:—

1. H. A. Coutts, R. N. Crowe, Mrs. H. A. Coutts, Dr. W. H. Leach. 2. Gaoler—Appointed December 28th, 1939, effective January 6th, 1940, salary \$1,200.00; Turnkey—Appointed December 28th, 1939, effective January 15th, 1940, salary \$1,000.00; Matron—Appointed December 28th, 1939, effective January 15th, 1940, salary \$300.00; Surgeon—Appointed June 24th, 1935, salary \$125.00. 3. Recommended and appointed by the Sheriff and approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, on the recommendation of the Provincial Secretary. 4. Two—September 28th, 1939, and April 16th, 1940. 5. Yes. W. C. Barber, Gaoler, Mrs. W. C. Barber, Matron, and Mr. W. R. Campbell, Turnkey. Services unsatisfactory. 6. Yes. A special investigation was conducted by a departmental Inspector into the circumstances surrounding the escape of April 16th, 1940. Mr. Coutts, the Gaoler, and Mr. Crowe, the Turnkey, were reprimanded and warned. 7. No.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 115):—

1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amount paid in respect to relief works.

The Honourable the Minister of Welfare replied as follows:—

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

1. (a) Nil.

(b) 1931-32.....	\$ 400,000.00
1932-33.....	1,209.11
1933-34.....	Nil
1934-35.....	286,148.57
1935-36.....	528,834.12
1936-37.....	2,459,727.80
1937-38.....	1,390,595.74
1938-39.....	1,877,032.43
1939-40.....	1,796,913.03
April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941.....	81,952.02

2. (a) Nil; (b) Nil. 3. (a) Nil; (b) Unemployment Relief Act: Net expenditure on secondary and development roads in Northern Ontario—

1937-38.....	\$5,252,160.47
1938-39.....	4,485,627.91

DEPARTMENT OF NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT

1. (a) Nil.

(b) 1930-31.....	See Department of Labour			
1931-32.....	"	"	"	"
1932-33.....	"	"	"	"
1933-34.....	\$1,992,101.54			
1934-35.....	Nil			
1935-36.....	4,274,746.86			
1936-37.....	3,860,006.30			

2. (a) Nil; (b) Nil. 3. (a) Nil; (b) Unemployment Relief Act: Net expenditure on roads in Northern Ontario—

1930-31.....	\$ 382,520.31
	(See also Department of Labour)
1931-32.....	See Department of Labour
1932-33.....	See Department of Labour
1933-34.....	\$18,351,770.29
1934-35.....	8,736,266.74
1935-36.....	8,807,779.62
1936-37.....	2,456,994.33

1.	Direct Relief	Relief Works	
	(a)	(b)	
1929-30.....	Nil	Nil	Department of Labour
1930-31.....	\$ 782,763.63	\$ 3,850,000.00	" " "
1931-32.....	3,908,348.53	7,917,992.87	" " "
1932-33.....	9,766,409.39	348,244.93	" " "
1933-34.....	10,799,822.49	752,678.88	Dept. of Public Welfare
1934-35.....	3,309,036.29	95,617.78	" " " "
1935-36.....	9,042,206.08	120,296.64	" " " "
1936-37.....	9,932,640.01	776.89	" " " "
1937-38.....	6,054,000.00	.....	" " " "
1938-39.....	5,608,640.53	.....	" " " "
1939-40.....	7,462,693.55	.....	" " " "
1940—Jan. 31, 1941.	2,271,050.37	.....	" " " "

2.	Direct Relief	Relief Works	
	Gross	Gross	
	(a)	(b)	
1929-30.....	\$ 24,218.91	Nil	Department of Labour
1930-31.....	1,563,988.47	5,635,636.28	" " "
1931-32.....	3,749,392.67	3,032,081.09	" " "
1932-33.....	18,808,524.55	108,890.13	" " "
1933-34.....	25,423,754.97	2,962,991.46	Dept. of Public Welfare
1934-35.....	10,338,076.99	652,792.14	" " " "
1935-36.....	29,190,374.22	368,160.70	" " " "
1936-37.....	21,382,910.74	13,410.08	" " " "
1937-38.....	15,232,087.16	54,000.00	" " " "
1938-39.....	14,955,467.94	27,026.94	" " " "
1939-40.....	15,755,642.62	452.51	" " " "
1940—Jan. 31, 1941.	6,270,891.27	.....	" " " "

3.	Direct Relief	Relief Works	
	Gross	Gross	
	(a)	(b)	
1929-30.....	Nil	Nil	
1930-31.....	\$ 75.56	\$ 2,102,500.00	Department of Labour
1931-32.....	175,294.68	11,949,724.43	" " "
1932-33.....	2,111,802.90	4,225,628.53	" " "
1933-34.....	2,024,246.79	.....	Dept. of Public Welfare
1934-35.....	466,272.30	.....	" " " "
1935-36.....	1,693,217.10	.....	" " " "
1936-37.....	1,600,141.81	.....	" " " "
1937-38.....	528,991.02	.....	" " " "
1938-39.....	541,676.93	.....	" " " "
1939-40.....	545,911.24	.....	" " " "
1940—Jan. 31, 1941.	245,631.33	.....	" " " "

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 160):—

1. How many automobiles were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 2. How many trucks were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 3. Specify the number of automobiles owned by and attached to each department or board or commission of the Government on December 31st, 1940—the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. See answer to 3. 2. 484. 3. Department of Education, Nil; Department of Lands and Forests, 6; Department of Mines, 5; Department of Labour, Nil; Department of Treasury, Nil; Department of Prime Minister, Nil; Department of Provincial Secretary, 3; Department of Game and Fisheries, 3; Department of Health, 25; Department of Highways, 3; Department of Agriculture, 65; Department of Public Works, Nil; Department of Attorney General, 67; T. & N.O. Railway Commission, Nil; Niagara Parks Commission, 2; Liquor Control Board, Nil; Workmen's Compensation Board, Nil.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 168):—

1. What relief payments were made to Township of King in 1940 and 1941. 2. Were any payments, direct or indirect, made to any organization or corporation in the Township of King in the way of assistance to families placed on land in 1940 and 1941.

The Honourable the Minister of Welfare replied as follows:—

1. 1940, \$1,357.96; 1941, \$348.39. 2. No.

In respect to Question (No. 141) regarding Legislative Grants to Elementary and Secondary Schools the Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Arnott, it was

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 94), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act, having been read,

And the Motion having been put, was declared to be lost.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 95), An Act to amend The Insurance Act, having been read,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for the second reading of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act, having been read,

The Debate was resumed,

And after some time it was on the motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin),

Ordered, That the Debate be adjourned.

The Order of the Day for the second reading of Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War, having been read,

The Hon. Mr. Conant moved,

That the Order be discharged, and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The Motion having been put failed for lack of a unanimous vote.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited to the Montreal Trust Company.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto.

Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Division Courts Act.

Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill (No. 83), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill (No. 86), An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Surveys Act.

Bill (No. 81), An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act.

Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge.

Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act.

Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress, and directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 92), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 93), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had Directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited to the Montreal Trust Company, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, again resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1942, the following sums:—

34. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Education	\$ 77,600.00
35. To defray the expenses of the Legislative Library, Department of Education	16,750.00

36. To defray the expenses of the Public Records and Archives, Department of Education.....	\$ 5,200.00
37. To defray the expenses of the Public and Separate School Education Branch, Department of Education.....	5,721,400.00
38. To defray the expenses of the Inspection of Schools Branch, Department of Education.....	546,600.00
39. To defray the expenses of the Departmental Examinations Branch, Department of Education.....	222,100.00
40. To defray the expenses of the Text-Books Branch, Department of Education.....	67,500.00
41. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools Branch, Department of Education.....	104,450.00
42. To defray the expenses of the Toronto Normal and Model Schools, Department of Education.....	129,725.00
43. To defray the expenses of the Ottawa Normal School, Department of Education.....	44,550.00
44. To defray the expenses of the London Normal School, Department of Education.....	43,050.00
45. To defray the expenses of the Hamilton Normal School, Department of Education.....	43,650.00
46. To defray the expenses of the Peterborough Normal School, Department of Education.....	36,680.00
47. To defray the expenses of the Stratford Normal School, Department of Education.....	34,400.00
48. To defray the expenses of the North Bay Normal School, Department of Education.....	38,550.00
49. To defray the expenses of the University of Ottawa Normal School, Department of Education.....	81,450.00
50. To defray the expenses of the High Schools and Collegiate Institutes Branch, Department of Education.....	890,500.00
51. To defray the expenses of the Public Libraries Branch, Department of Education.....	106,700.00
52. To defray the expenses of the Vocational Education Branch, Department of Education.....	1,858,450.00
53. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Training College for Technical Teachers, Department of Education.....	27,500.00
54. To defray the expenses of the Superannuated Teachers, Department of Education.....	8,800.00
55. To defray the expenses of the Provincial and other Universities, Department of Education.....	1,836,000.00
56. To defray the expenses of the Ontario School for the Deaf, Belleville, Department of Education.....	161,925.00
57. To defray the expenses of the Ontario School for the Blind, Brantford, Department of Education.....	94,100.00
134. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	63,655.00
135. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Municipal Board, Department of Municipal Affairs.....	30,935.00
112. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Lands and Forests.....	183,300.00
113. To defray the expenses of the Agents, Department of Lands and Forests.....	28,000.00

114.	To defray the expenses of the Rondeau Provincial Park, Department of Lands and Forests.....	\$ 16,375.00
115.	To defray the expenses of the Ipferwash Beach Provincial Park, Department of Lands and Forests.....	4,000.00
116.	To defray the expenses of the Forests Branch, Department of Lands and Forests.....	85,000.00
117.	To defray the expenses of the Forests Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	1,600,000.00
118.	To defray the expenses of the Air Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	263,000.00
119.	To defray the expenses of the Radio Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	45,000.00
120.	To defray the expenses of the Woodmen's Employment Act, Department of Lands and Forests.....	8,500.00
121.	To defray the expenses of the Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards, Department of Lands and Forests.....	20,000.00
122.	To defray the expenses of the Insect Control and Tree Diseases, Department of Lands and Forests.....	17,000.00
123.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Surveys, etc., Department of Lands and Forests.....	55,000.00
124.	To defray the expenses of the Forests Service, Department of Lands and Forests.....	320,000.00
20.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	76,200.00
21.	To defray the expenses of the Supreme Court, Department of Attorney-General.....	85,175.00
22.	To defray the expenses of the Shorthand Reporters, Department of Attorney-General.....	33,050.00
23.	To defray the expenses of the Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	27,500.00
24.	To defray the expenses of the Land Titles Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	25,300.00
25.	To defray the expenses of the Drainage Referees, Department of Attorney-General.....	2,550.00
26.	To defray the expenses of the Criminal Justice Accounts, Department of Attorney-General.....	986,200.00
27.	To defray the expenses of the Public Trustee's Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	67,750.00
28.	To defray the expenses of the Official Guardian's Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	34,950.00
29.	To defray the expenses of the Accountant's Office, Supreme Court of Ontario, Department of Attorney-General.....	21,970.00
30.	To defray the expenses of the Fire Marshal's Office, Department of Attorney-General.....	59,700.00
31.	To defray the expenses of the Inspector of Legal Offices, Department of Attorney-General.....	81,050.00
32.	To defray the expenses of the Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police), Department of Attorney-General.....	1,365,200.00
33.	To defray the expenses of the Ontario Securities Commission, Department of Attorney-General.....	63,000.00
100.	To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Insurance.....	62,425.00

163. To defray the expenses of the Main Office, Department of Public Works.....	\$ 79,100.00
164. To defray the expenses of the General Superintendence, Department of Public Works.....	19,500.00
165. To defray the expenses of the Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment, Department of Public Works.....	4,600.00
166. To defray the expenses of the Legislative and Departmental Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	411,400.00
167. To defray the expenses of the Osgoode Hall, Department of Public Works.....	37,000.00
168. To defray the expenses of the Educational Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	10,600.00
169. To defray the expenses of the Agricultural Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	10,700.00
170. To defray the expenses of the Training Schools, Department of Public Works.....	2,200.00
171. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	12,625.00
172. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works.....	50,000.00
173. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Reformatories, Department of Public Works.....	475.00
174. To defray the expenses of the Public Works, Department of Public Works.....	15,000.00
175. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Government Office Building, Kingston, Department of Public Works.....	3,800.00
176. To defray the expenses of the Ontario Hospitals, Department of Public Works.....	15,000.00
177. To defray the expenses of the Reformatories, Department of Public Works.....	10,000.00
178. To defray the expenses of the District Buildings, Department of Public Works.....	1,000.00
179. To defray the expenses of the Fish Hatcheries, Department of Public Works.....	5,000.00
180. To defray the expenses of the Public Works, Department of Public Works.....	261,000.00
181. To defray the expenses of the Miscellaneous.....	104,400.00
125. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Speaker, Department of Legislation.....	254,525.00
126. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Law Clerk, Department of Legislation.....	13,125.00
127. To defray the expenses of the Office of Crown-in-Chancery, Department of Legislation.....	4,800.00

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to several Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received to-morrow.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated April 8th, 1941, That there be laid before the House a Return showing: 1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount. (*Sessional Papers No. 57.*)

Mr. Cooper, from the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the administration of the Department of Lands and Forests, presented their Report and recommended that it be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the House which recommendation was concurred in as follows:—

Your Select Committee appointed on April 27th, 1939, to inquire into the administration, licensing, sale, supervision and conservation of natural resources by the Department of Lands and Forests begs leave to report that it has completed its deliberations and herewith presents its report which contains the views and recommendations of a majority of the Committee and also the views and recommendations of a minority of the Committee, and recommends that the report be printed as an appendix to the Journals of the House.

The House then adjourned at 10.50 p.m.

J. H. CLARK,
Speaker.

No. 34

TUESDAY, APRIL 8TH, 1941

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PRAYERS.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 56):—

1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. (a) Malvern Construction Co., Limited; (b) Bridge over Batchewana River in Township of Fisher between Sault Ste. Marie and Montreal River; (c) Construction of substructure and floor of Batchewana Bridge; (d) Unit Prices:

1. Clearing.....	\$75.00 per acre
2. Grubbing and close cutting.....	75.00 per acre
3. Earth excavation, grading.....	.50 per cu. yd.
4. Rock excavation, grading.....	2.00 per cu. yd.
5. Placing 24" C.I. pipe.....	.50 per lin. ft.
6. Placing 18" C.I. pipe.....	.40 per lin. ft.
7. Excavation from caissons.....	.50 per cu. yd.
8. Concrete in caissons.....	4.00 per cu. yd.
9. Concrete in substructure.....	10.00 per cu. yd.
10. Concrete in superstructure.....	14.00 per cu. yd.
11. Concrete in handrail posts.....	14.00 per cu. yd.
12. Placing reinforcing steel.....	12.50 per ton
13. Erect and paint steel handrail.....	.20 per lin. ft.
14. Sheet piling driven.....	.30 per lin. ft.
15. Removal of existing structure.....	500.00 lump sum
16. Supply and place crushed gravel surfacing.....	1.50 per cu. yd.

Estimated total cost of Contract: .

Contract Tender.....	\$15,844.50
Department Materials.....	29,121.20
Department Engineering.....	2,600.00
Department Sundry Construction.....	947.50
	<hr/> \$48,513.20

Mr. Stewart asked the following Question (No. 92):—

1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.

The Honourable the Prime Minister and Provincial Treasurer replied as follows:—

	Total Debt (Less Sinking Fund)
1. As at December 31st, 1934.....	\$427,323,899
2. As at December 31st, 1939.....	324,878,331
	Gross Debt (Less Sinking Fund)
3. As at October 31st, 1934.....	\$655,760,852
4. As at March 31st, 1940.....	737,077,996

Mr. Elgie asked the following Questions (Nos. 111 and 114):—

1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine; (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

The Honourable the Prime Minister replied as follows:—

	For 12 months ending Oct. 31, 1934	For 5 months ending Mar. 31, 1935	For 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1936	For 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1937
Question 111 (a) and (e)—Gallons	*	*	12,777,568	14,239,605
Question 114 (a) and (e)—Gallons	*	*	*	*
Question 111 (b) and (e)—Value	*	*	*	*
Question 114 (b) and (e)—Value	*	*	*	*
Question 111 (c) and (f)—Gallons	*	*	*	*
Question 114 (c) and (f)—Gallons	*	*	*	*
Question 111 (d) and (f)—Value	*	*	\$116,625.27	\$132,823.44
Question 114 (d) and (f)—Value	*	*	*	*

	For 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1938	For 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1939	For 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1940	For 10 months ending Jan. 31, 1941
Question 111 (a) and (e)—Gallons	16,046,557	15,499,835	17,136,802	16,243,983
Question 114 (a) and (e)—Gallons	*	1,107,837	1,249,995	1,869,695
Question 111 (b) and (e)—Value	*	\$13,797,656.55	\$15,223,592.45	\$15,757,368.65
Question 114 (b) and (e)—Value	*	\$1,222,709.30	\$1,388,864.35	\$2,114,087.05
Question 111 (c) and (f)—Gallons	*	*	*	*
Question 114 (c) and (f)—Gallons	*	*	*	*
Question 111 (d) and (f)—Value	\$122,687.48	\$105,099.20	\$111,954.31	\$119,778.69
Question 114 (d) and (f)—Value	*	\$31,899.79	\$32,100.97	\$33,281.07

* This information is not available for these years.

NOTE:—The records of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, while kept in a sufficiently comprehensive manner to ensure the collection of all revenue have not been maintained in such detail as will permit the submission of the information asked for under the numerous classifications.

The available statistics are submitted above and represent:—

Question No. 111 (a) and (e)—The total gallonage of beer sold to hotel authority holders during the ten months' period ending January 31st, 1941, and for the preceding five fiscal years.

Question No. 114 (a) and (e)—The total gallonage of beer sold to all other authority holders during the ten months ending January 31st, 1941, and during the two preceding fiscal years.

Question No. 111 (*b*) and (*e*)—The value of beer sold to hotel authority holders during the ten months ending January 31st, 1941, and during the two preceding fiscal years.

Question No. 114 (*b*) and (*e*)—The value of beer sold to all other authority holders during the same fiscal periods.

Question No. 111 (*d*) and (*f*)—The value of all wine sold to hotel authority holders during the ten months ending January 31st, 1941, and during the five preceding fiscal years.

Question No. 114 (*d*) and (*f*)—The value of all wine sold to all other authority holders during the ten months ending January 31st, 1941, and during the two preceding fiscal years.

Mr. Macaulay asked the following Question (No. 137):—

1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (*a*) Name of contractor; (*b*) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (*c*) Contract price in each case; (*d*) Date of each contract; (*e*) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. CONTRACTS LET BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

Contract 40-99

(*a*) J. N. Pitts; (*b*) Concrete work, earth and rock excavation, etc., up to the road level of the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies all necessary materials except cement and reinforcing steel which are supplied by the Department; (*c*) \$118,330.00; (*d*) 7th August, 1940; (*e*) 15th July, 1941.

Contract 40-105

(*a*) Brennan Paving Co., Ltd.; (*b*) Stone work, shelf angles, backing block, etc., up to the parapet level of the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies stone and all other necessary materials except cement and wedge shaped slots for stone anchors which are supplied by the Department; (*c*) \$85,280.00; (*d*) 11th November, 1940; (*e*) 12th May, 1941.

Contract 40-119

(*a*) Brennan Paving Co., Ltd.; (*b*) General construction (except work to be done by mechanical trades) of the Customs and Immigration Building, Canopies

and Shelters on the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies all materials for the general construction of those buildings except materials to be supplied under mechanical trade contracts and cement and reinforcing steel which are supplied by the Department; (c) \$280,452.00; (d) 3rd February, 1941; (e) 15th August, 1941.

Contract 40-120

(a) George C. Abbott, Ltd.; (b) Plumbing, heating and ventilation for the buildings on the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies all labour, materials, equipment and fixtures necessary for the installation of complete plumbing, heating and ventilating systems; (c) \$81,500.00; (d) 3rd February, 1941; (e) 15th August, 1941.

Contract 40-121

(a) Canadian Comstock Co., Ltd.; (b) Electrical work for the buildings on the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies all labour, material and equipment for the electrical work including telephone conduit; (c) \$30,870.00; (d) 3rd February, 1941; (e) 15th August, 1941.

Contract 40-122

(a) The Grover Company; (b) Installation of a pneumatic tube system in the buildings on the Canadian Approach Plaza. The contractor supplies all labour, material and equipment necessary for the installation of a complete pneumatic tube system to and from the Customs Cabins and Card Return Cabins; (c) \$7,165.00; (d) 3rd February, 1941; (e) 15th August, 1941.

2. Yes.

3. Contract 40-99—

Carter-Halls-Aldinger Co., Ltd.....	\$119,338.50
Rayner Construction, Ltd.....	157,759.50
Frid Construction Co., Ltd.....	123,554.67
Dominion Construction Corporation, Ltd.....	149,382.50

Contract 40-105—

J. N. Pitts.....	\$111,322.00
The Ritchie Cut-Stone Co., Ltd.....	117,000.00
Sharp Bros. Cut-Stone Co., Ltd.....	134,315.00

Contract 40-119—

J. N. Pitts Construction Co., Ltd.....	\$285,000.00
Frid Construction Co., Ltd.....	297,000.00
Anglin-Norcross.....	320,960.00
Goldie Construction Co., Ltd.....	315,620.00
Frid Construction Co.....	308,744.00

Contract 40-120—

B. J. Miller.....	\$85,736.00
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Contract 40-121—

Ontario Electric Const.....	\$37,163.00
E. L. R. Roxborough Electric.....	37,287.00
Canada Electric Co.....	39,073.00

Contract 40-122—

The Lamson Company.....	\$8,291.00
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4. Yes. 5. Estimated date for completion of work—31st October, 1941;
Estimated date for opening—15th November, 1941. 6. \$800,000.00.

Mr. Duckworth asked the following Question (No. 149):—

1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.

The Honourable the Minister of Welfare replied as follows:—

1. 31,028 cancellations. By reason of death—26,094; by transfer to other provinces—796; due to failure to disclose assets or other misrepresentation at time of application, increased earning power of unmarried children, altered economic status—4,138. 2. 3,266 reductions due to failure to disclose assets or other misrepresentation at time of application, increased earning power of unmarried children, altered economic status.

Mr. Doucett asked the following Question (No. 159):—

1. What did the Department of Public Highways pay per barrel for cement used on highways for years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. What quantity of cement was used during each year 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 3. What firms supplied cement to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 4. What firms supplied metal culverts to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, and what was the price.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Standard Brand Cement—

Same prices prevailed for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

Southern Ontario—\$2.07 per barrel. Less discount 10 cents per barrel 20 days. F.O.B. destination.

Northern Ontario—\$2.07 per barrel. Less discount 10 cents per barrel 20 days. Price for Northern Ontario includes freight cost up to 14 cents per 100 lbs. Freight cost in excess of 14 cents added to Net Price.

XXX Brand Cement—

1937.....	\$2.60	per barrel, plus freight to destination
1938.....	2.60	" " " " " "
1939.....	2.35	" " " " " "
1940 (to July 1st).....	2.35	" " " " " "
1940 (from July 1st)....	2.00	" " " " " "

2. 1937—1,291,154 Barrels.

1938—	481,547	"
1939—	318,859	"
1940—	583,129	"

3. 1937—Canada Cement Co., Ltd., and Alfred Rogers, Ltd.

1938—	Canada Cement Co., Ltd., and Alfred Rogers, Ltd.
1939—	Canada Cement Co., Ltd., and Alfred Rogers, Ltd.
1940—	Canada Cement Co., Ltd., and Alfred Rogers, Ltd.

In addition a number of small purchases were made from dealers throughout the Province.

4. Canada Ingot Iron Co., Ltd., Pedlar People, Ltd., Metallic Roofing Co., Ltd., Canada Culvert Co., Ltd., Roofers Supply Co., Ltd., Corrugated Pipe Co., Ltd., E. S. Hubbell & Sons.

All the above firms supplied pipe during the years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 at the same prices.

PRICES—1937

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
8"	18	\$.72	\$.78	\$.81	\$.87
	16	.88	.95	.97	1.04
	14	1.09	1.16	1.19	1.26
10"	18	.82	.86	.92	.96
	16	.95	.99	1.06	1.10
	14	1.19	1.23	1.31	1.35
12"	16	1.07	1.10	1.19	1.22
	14	1.29	1.33	1.43	1.47
	12	1.65	1.76	1.79	1.90
15"	16	1.31	1.37	1.46	1.52
	14	1.50	1.55	1.67	1.72
	12	2.23	2.37	2.41	2.55
18"	16	1.50	1.55	1.68	1.73
	14	1.80	1.86	2.01	2.07
	12	2.63	2.80	2.85	3.02
21"	10	3.21	3.43	3.43	3.65
	16	1.80	1.86	2.02	2.08
	14	2.12	2.19	2.38	2.45
	12	3.06	3.28	3.32	3.54
	10	3.68	3.92	3.94	4.18

PRICES—1937—Continued

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
24"	16	\$ 2.09	\$ 2.16	\$ 2.37	\$ 2.44
	14	2.48	2.56	2.77	2.85
	12	3.30	3.43	3.59	3.72
	10	4.34	4.63	4.65	4.94
30"	16	2.52	2.61	2.89	2.98
	14	3.11	3.22	3.48	3.59
	12	4.28	4.45	4.65	4.82
	10	5.61	5.98	6.03	6.40
36"	16	2.88	2.99	3.32	3.43
	14	3.57	3.70	4.01	4.14
	12	4.97	5.15	5.41	5.59
	10	6.34	6.78	6.79	7.23
42"	16	3.55	3.70	4.07	4.22
	14	4.40	4.57	4.92	5.09
	12	5.85	6.07	6.37	6.59
	10	7.18	7.46	7.70	7.98
48"	14	5.04	5.23	5.68	5.87
	12	6.70	6.94	7.34	7.58
	10	7.94	8.24	8.58	8.88
	8	8.94	9.58	9.68	10.32
54"	12	8.12	8.68	8.81	9.37
	10	9.09	9.48	9.78	10.17
	8	10.00	10.69	10.89	11.58
60"	12	9.09	9.47	9.90	10.28
	10	10.26	10.71	11.07	11.52
	8	11.07	11.88	12.10	12.91
72"	12	10.73	11.18	11.74	12.19
	10	12.09	12.65	13.10	13.64
	8	13.16	14.17	14.39	15.40
84"	12	12.45	12.97	13.66	14.18
	10	14.03	14.64	15.24	15.85
	8	15.36	16.57	16.76	17.97
96"	12	14.04	14.56	15.55	16.07
	10	16.23	16.76	17.74	18.27
	8	17.99	19.04	19.50	20.55

Prices F.O.B. any Railway Station in Ontario.

Coupling bands free with lengths of 8 feet or more.

Coupling bands on less than 8 feet, charged as the price of 1 foot of pipe.

C. L. means—Car Load Lots. L. C. L. means—Less than Car Load Lots.
Prices given per foot.

PRICES—1938

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
8"	18	\$.74	\$.76	\$.90	\$.92	\$.98	\$ 1.00
	16	.81	.83	.98	1.00	1.08	1.10
	14	.93	.96	1.11	1.14	1.23	1.26
10"	18	.84	.86	1.04	1.06	1.16	1.18
	16	.92	.95	1.13	1.16	1.27	1.30
	14	1.00	1.03	1.22	1.25	1.38	1.41
12"	16	.97	1.00	1.21	1.24	1.33	1.36
	14	1.13	1.17	1.38	1.42	1.52	1.56
	12	1.61	1.66	1.87	1.92	2.03	2.08
15"	16	1.24	1.28	1.54	1.58	1.68	1.72
	14	1.41	1.46	1.73	1.78	1.89	1.94
	12	1.98	2.04	2.31	2.37	2.49	2.55
18"	16	1.42	1.47	1.78	1.83	1.95	2.00
	14	1.70	1.76	2.10	2.16	2.27	2.33
	12	2.36	2.44	2.76	2.84	2.95	3.03
21"	10	3.01	3.11	3.43	3.53	3.64	3.74
	16	1.65	1.70	2.07	2.12	2.30	2.35
	14	1.98	2.05	2.41	2.48	2.66	2.73
24"	12	2.76	2.85	3.20	3.29	3.47	3.56
	10	3.52	3.64	3.97	4.09	4.27	4.39
	16	1.94	2.00	2.42	2.48	2.64	2.70
30"	14	2.32	2.40	2.87	2.95	3.12	3.20
	12	3.15	3.26	3.70	3.81	4.00	4.11
	10	4.02	4.16	4.57	4.71	4.89	5.03
36"	16	2.35	2.43	.....	.....	.....	.....
	14	2.91	3.00	3.51	3.60	3.83	3.92
	12	3.87	4.00	4.51	4.64	4.87	5.00
42"	10	5.03	5.20	5.71	5.88	6.11	6.28
	16	2.83	2.92	.....	.....	.....	.....
	14	3.49	3.60	4.15	4.26	4.53	4.64
48"	12	4.74	4.90	5.44	5.60	5.84	6.00
	10	6.25	6.45	7.00	7.20	7.45	7.65
54"	16	3.29	3.40	.....	.....	.....	.....
	14	4.37	4.50	5.07	5.20	5.52	5.65
	12	6.22	6.40	6.94	7.12	7.44	7.62
60"	10	7.46	7.70	8.20	8.44	8.76	9.00
	14	4.91	5.06	5.66	5.81	6.17	6.32
	12	6.89	7.10	7.66	7.87	8.26	8.47
66"	10	8.51	8.78	9.30	9.57	9.91	10.18
	8	10.77	11.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
72"	14	5.63	5.80	.....	.....	.....	.....
	12	7.79	8.03	8.74	8.98	9.45	9.69
	10	9.70	10.00	10.65	10.95	11.42	11.72
78"	8	12.30	12.67	.....	.....	.....	.....

PRICES—1938—Continued

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
60"	12	8.70	\$ 8.96	\$ 9.82	\$ 10.08	\$ 10.58	\$ 10.84
	10	10.87	11.20	11.99	12.32	12.83	13.16
	8	13.10	13.50	14.22	14.62	15.25	15.65
72"	12	10.48	10.80	11.78	12.10	12.68	13.00
	10	12.80	13.20	14.10	14.50	15.10	15.50
	8	15.81	16.30	17.11	17.60	18.21	18.70
84"	12	12.23	12.60	13.73	14.10	14.73	15.10
	10	15.18	15.65	16.68	17.15	17.80	18.27
	8	18.43	19.00	19.93	20.50	21.18	21.75
96"	12	13.98	14.40	15.68	16.10	16.78	17.20
	10	17.36	17.90	19.06	19.60	20.28	20.82
	8	20.99	21.65	22.69	23.35	24.04	24.70

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Prices given per foot.

HEL-COR PIPE

6" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and coated with asphalt.....	\$.40 L. Ft.
45 Degree Elbows.....	4.00 Each
90 Degree Elbows.....	7.00 Each

Laterals and Tees—Same price as 45 Degree Elbows.

Y's—Same price as 90 Degree Elbows.

Couplers extra in all cases at 40c. each.

Freight prepaid. On shipment of 3,000 feet or more to one destination—
5% discount. Terms—Net 30 days.

PRICES—1939

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
8"	18	\$.72	\$.74	\$.88	\$.90	\$.96	\$.98
	16	.79	.81	.96	.98	1.06	1.08
	14	.90	.93	1.08	1.11	1.20	1.23
10"	18	.81	.83	1.01	1.03	1.13	1.15
	16	.89	.92	1.10	1.13	1.24	1.27
	14	.97	1.00	1.19	1.22	1.35	1.38

PRICES—1939—Continued

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
12"	16	\$.94	.97	\$ 1.18	1.21	\$ 1.30	1.33
	14	1.09	1.13	1.34	1.38	1.48	1.52
15"	12	1.56	1.61	1.82	1.87	1.98	2.03
	16	1.20	1.24	1.50	1.54	1.64	1.68
	14	1.37	1.42	1.69	1.74	1.85	1.90
18"	12	1.92	1.98	2.25	2.31	2.43	2.49
	16	1.38	1.43	1.74	1.79	1.91	1.96
	14	1.65	1.71	2.05	2.11	2.22	2.28
	12	2.29	2.37	2.69	2.77	2.88	2.96
21"	10	2.92	3.02	3.34	3.44	3.55	3.65
	16	1.60	1.65	2.02	2.07	2.25	2.30
	14	1.92	1.99	2.35	2.42	2.60	2.67
	12	2.67	2.76	3.11	3.20	3.38	3.47
24"	10	3.41	3.53	3.86	3.98	4.16	4.28
	16	1.88	1.94	2.38	2.44	2.60	2.66
	14	2.25	2.33	2.80	2.88	3.05	3.13
	12	3.05	3.16	3.60	3.71	3.90	4.01
30"	10	3.90	4.04	4.45	4.59	4.77	4.91
	16	2.28	2.36	2.88	2.96	3.18	3.26
	14	2.82	2.91	3.42	3.51	3.74	3.83
	12	3.75	3.88	4.39	4.52	4.75	4.88
36"	10	4.87	5.04	5.55	5.72	5.95	6.12
	16	2.74	2.83	3.40	3.49	3.76	3.85
	14	3.38	3.49	4.04	4.15	4.42	4.53
	12	4.59	4.75	5.29	5.45	5.69	5.85
42"	10	6.06	6.26	6.81	7.01	7.26	7.46
	16	3.19	3.30	3.89	4.00	4.31	4.42
	14	4.24	4.37	4.94	5.07	5.39	5.52
	12	6.03	6.21	6.75	6.93	7.25	7.43
48"	10	7.23	7.47	7.97	8.21	8.53	8.77
	14	4.76	4.91	5.50	5.66	6.01	6.17
	12	6.68	6.89	7.45	7.66	8.01	8.22
	10	8.25	8.52	9.04	9.31	9.65	9.92
54"	8	10.44	10.77	11.24	11.57	11.85	12.18
	14	5.46	5.63	6.41	6.58	7.09	7.26
	12	7.55	7.79	8.50	8.74	9.21	9.45
	10	9.40	9.70	10.35	10.65	11.12	11.42
60"	8	11.92	12.29	12.87	13.24	13.70	14.07
	12	8.43	8.69	9.56	9.81	10.32	10.57
	10	10.53	10.86	11.65	11.98	12.49	12.82
	8	12.70	13.10	13.82	14.22	14.74	15.14
72"	12	10.16	10.48	11.46	11.78	12.36	12.68
	10	12.40	12.80	13.78	14.18	14.78	15.18
	8	15.32	15.81	16.62	17.11	17.72	18.21

PRICES—1939

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
84"	12	11.85	\$ 12.22	\$ 13.35	\$ 13.72	\$ 14.35	\$ 14.72
	10	14.71	15.18	16.21	16.68	17.33	17.80
	8	17.86	18.43	19.36	19.93	20.61	21.18
96"	12	13.55	13.97	15.22	15.67	16.22	16.77
	10	16.82	17.36	18.52	19.06	19.74	20.28
	8	20.34	21.00	22.04	22.70	23.39	24.05

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Prices given per foot.

HEL-COR PIPE

6" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated	\$.36 L. Ft.
6" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated, Revised	.34 L. Ft.
45 Degree Elbows	4.00 Each
90 Degree Elbows	7.00 Each

Laterals and Tees—Same price as 45 Degree Elbows.

Y's—Same price as 90 Degree Elbows.

Couplers extra at price of each of one foot of pipe.

Freight included South of Earlton and East of Sault Ste. Marie.

PRICES—1940

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
8"	18	\$.74	\$.76	\$.90	\$.92	\$.98	\$ 1.00
	16	.81	.83	.98	1.00	1.08	1.10
	14	.93	.96	1.11	1.14	1.23	1.26
10"	18	.83	.85	1.03	1.05	1.15	1.17
	16	.92	.95	1.13	1.16	1.27	1.30
	14	1.00	1.03	1.22	1.25	1.38	1.41
12"	16	.97	1.00	1.21	1.24	1.33	1.36
	14	1.12	1.16	1.37	1.41	1.51	1.55
	12	1.61	1.66	1.87	1.92	2.03	2.08
15"	16	1.24	1.28	1.54	1.58	1.68	1.72
	14	1.41	1.46	1.73	1.78	1.89	1.94
	12	1.98	2.04	2.31	2.37	2.49	2.55
18"	16	1.42	1.47	1.78	1.83	1.95	2.00
	14	1.70	1.76	2.10	2.16	2.27	2.33
	12	2.36	2.44	2.76	2.84	2.95	3.03
	10	3.01	3.11	3.43	3.53	3.64	3.74

PRICES—1940—Continued

CORRUGATED GALVANIZED CULVERTS—COPPER BEARING STEEL PIPE

Diam.	Gauge	Standard Round		Paved Invert		Asbestos Bonded	
		C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.	C. L.	L. C. L.
21"	16	\$ 1.65	\$ 1.70	\$ 2.07	\$ 2.12	\$ 2.30	\$ 2.35
	14	1.98	2.05	2.41	2.48	2.66	2.73
	12	2.75	2.84	3.19	3.28	3.46	3.55
	10	3.52	3.64	3.97	4.09	4.27	4.39
24"	16	1.94	2.00	2.44	2.50	2.66	2.72
	14	2.32	2.40	2.87	2.95	3.12	3.20
	12	3.14	3.25	3.69	3.80	3.99	4.10
	10	4.02	4.16	4.57	4.71	4.89	5.03
30"	16	2.35	2.43	2.95	3.03	3.25	3.33
	14	2.91	3.00	3.51	3.60	3.83	3.92
	12	3.87	4.00	4.51	4.64	4.87	5.00
	10	5.02	5.19	5.70	5.87	6.10	6.27
36"	16	2.82	2.91	3.48	3.57	3.84	3.93
	14	3.48	3.59	4.14	4.25	4.52	4.63
	12	4.73	4.89	5.43	5.59	5.83	5.99
	10	6.25	6.45	7.00	7.20	7.45	7.65
42"	16	3.29	3.40	3.99	4.10	4.41	4.52
	14	4.37	4.50	5.07	5.20	5.52	5.65
	12	6.22	6.40	6.94	7.12	7.44	7.62
	10	7.45	7.69	8.19	8.43	8.75	8.99
48"	14	4.91	5.06	5.65	5.81	6.16	6.32
	12	6.89	7.10	7.66	7.87	8.22	8.43
	10	8.51	8.78	9.30	9.57	9.91	10.18
	8	10.76	11.09	11.56	11.89	12.17	12.50
54"	14	5.63	5.80	6.58	6.75	7.26	7.43
	12	7.78	8.02	8.73	8.97	9.44	9.68
	10	9.69	9.99	10.64	10.94	11.41	11.71
	8	12.29	12.66	13.24	13.61	14.07	14.44
60"	12	8.69	8.95	9.82	10.07	10.58	10.83
	10	10.86	11.19	11.98	12.31	12.82	13.15
	8	13.09	13.49	14.01	14.61	15.13	15.53
72"	12	10.47	10.79	11.77	12.09	12.67	12.99
	10	12.78	13.18	14.16	14.56	15.16	15.56
	8	15.79	16.28	17.09	17.58	18.19	18.68
84"	12	12.22	12.59	13.72	14.09	14.72	15.09
	10	15.17	15.64	16.67	17.14	17.79	18.26
	8	18.41	18.98	19.91	20.48	21.16	21.73
96"	12	13.97	14.39	15.64	16.09	16.64	17.19
	10	17.34	17.88	19.04	19.58	20.26	20.80
	8	20.97	21.63	22.67	23.33	24.02	24.68

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Prices given per foot.

HEL-COR PIPE

6" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	\$.39 L. Ft. Delivered in S. Ontario
6" Diameter 16 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.53 L. Ft. Delivered in S. Ontario
6" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.41 L. Ft. Delivered in N. Ontario
6" Diameter 16 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.56 L. Ft. Delivered in N. Ontario
8" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.53 L. Ft. Delivered in S. Ontario
8" Diameter 16 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.66 L. Ft. Delivered in S. Ontario
8" Diameter 18 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.56 L. Ft. Delivered in N. Ontario
8" Diameter 16 Gauge, perforated and asphalt coated.....	.71 L. Ft. Delivered in N. Ontario

Couplers included in above prices.

Non-perforated pipe deduct .01 per L. Ft.

NOTE:—8" Pipe only—On quantities less than 300 feet prices apply for 20-foot lengths only. Where other lengths specified prices are as standard culvert schedule with the option of supplying standard round culverts coated.

Mr. Downer asked the following Question (No. 169):—

1. What was the cost of the construction of the following highways: No. 24—Shelburne to Collingwood—1940, Duntroon to Stayner—1940; No. 89—Shelburne to Cookstown—1940. 2. What was the cost of maintenance of the above highways in 1940. 3. Give names of maintenance employees and amount received by each in 1940.

The Honourable the Minister of Highways replied as follows:—

1. Nil.

2. No. 24—Shelburne to Collingwood.....\$27,362.25
 No. 91—Duntroon to Stayner..... 2,710.45
 No. 89—Shelburne to Cookstown..... 17,250.12

3. T. E. Mason.....	\$861.00	M. Magill.....	\$ 38.15
W. Lovegrove.....	187.25	B. Lennox.....	14.70
J. Nichol.....	4.20	R. W. Smalley.....	8.40
D. Nicholl.....	2.45	S. Dennison.....	193.55
H. Fleming.....	2.45	T. Herron.....	1.05
E. Gosley.....	1.40	B. Keast.....	6.30
F. Anderson.....	4.90	F. Eldon.....	4.90
G. Mason.....	5.60	N. McNight.....	2.80

A. Michaels.....	\$ 4.90	F. Nichol.....	\$ 1.75
E. Irvin.....	107.80	J. Taylor.....	2.80
H. Jebb.....	25.20	C. Nixon.....	8.40
W. Smalley.....	8.40	J. King.....	4.20
A. Mason.....	103.80	T. Handie.....	2.45
D. Applegate.....	3.50	W. Upton.....	2.80
G. Drennan.....	3.50	J. Vernon.....	7.70
H. Croke.....	9.45	C. Button.....	7.70
W. Vernon.....	7.70	W. Ayerst.....	12.25
S. Johnston.....	5.60	D. Draper.....	54.10
D. Tracey.....	9.80	H. Weston.....	14.00
V. Langley.....	5.60	E. Fleming.....	2.80
John Quail.....	721.00	J. Heslip.....	192.22
W. Broughton.....	273.35	F. O'Hearne.....	298.55
M. Walsh.....	64.45	D. Quail.....	33.60
H. Fleming.....	1.05	T. Amess.....	176.92
C. Milne.....	15.40	H. Cooke.....	23.80
H. Halliday.....	3.85	E. J. Nichol.....	16.80
R. J. Little.....	7.35	H. Halliday.....	436.48
W. Allan.....	35.35	H. Croke.....	291.67
G. Orvis.....	251.13	R. Cowan.....	509.57
G. Gilpin.....	199.32	W. McNabb.....	279.47
H. Bailey.....	80.45	E. Petterson.....	57.76
P. Saigeon.....	46.93	C. Pardoe.....	87.85
G. Fewster.....	69.99	G. Pendleton.....	39.70
A. Huskinson.....	100.67	R. Madill.....	18.33
R. Moffat.....	27.55	E. Oldfield.....	269.30
G. Orvis.....	458.04	W. Stewart.....	249.00
G. Fewster.....	413.26	C. McGhee.....	60.37
A. Dayton.....	23.80	H. Dayton.....	2.80
R. McGhee.....	1.40	M. Hardwick.....	96.60
V. Orvis.....	22.05	W. Harrison.....	25.20
H. Webster.....	48.30	C. Webster.....	62.95
J. Dinsmore.....	47.60	E. Huxley.....	96.95
T. Jenners.....	1.05	J. Spencely.....	21.70
J. Walwark.....	81.20	R. Vause.....	24.45
R. Moffatt.....	39.62	L. Jenners.....	51.10
W. Fossett.....	24.85	G. Cleary.....	63.85
H. Proctor.....	53.64	D. Webster.....	53.90
V. Hebden.....	45.15	E. Facknie.....	60.20
W. Hunter.....	52.69	R. Hurd.....	21.35
E. Cave.....	21.15	J. Brown.....	79.45
M. Proctor.....	6.30	M. McQuarrie.....	1.57
I. Davie.....	41.65	W. Reddick.....	60.20
P. Saigeon.....	15.95	E. Page.....	29.40
B. Brophy.....	533.32	A. Stewart.....	35.00
M. Coutts.....	229.95	C. McDonald.....	211.80
A. Taylor.....	35.70	F. Raymond.....	180.95
A. McDermid.....	306.60	G. Stoll.....	120.40
W. Perry.....	38.50	C. Forgie.....	25.90
M. Fox.....	36.00	G. Stangroom.....	140.00
W. Coutts.....	52.30	D. Taylor.....	16.80

W. Jordan.....	\$124.95	C. McBride.....	\$ 58.80
D. Buie.....	25.90	D. Campbell.....	60.55
J. Long.....	78.40	S. Gibson.....	57.40
A. Coe.....	65.10	M. Sawden.....	19.60
J. McQuillan.....	38.85	O. Coombs.....	82.25
J. McBride.....	160.30	C. Goldsmith.....	28.00
C. Holden.....	44.80	G. Raney.....	30.80
F. Currie.....	29.40	J. McMillan.....	1.75
M. McClean.....	26.40	C. Webb.....	28.00
E. Bush.....	40.60	J. McGregor.....	25.20
V. Lamont.....	92.40	W. Dey.....	30.80
J. McCarl.....	44.75	H. Scutt.....	26.60
A. McBride.....	44.80	F. Edwards.....	17.15
R. Edwards.....	20.30	C. Hackett.....	5.60
J. Briggs.....	34.30	C. Ferguson.....	11.40
R. Miller.....	12.25	D. Miller.....	1.75
D. Hall.....	14.35	G. Elyea.....	42.00
A. McDonald.....	2.80	J. Bell.....	2.80
F. Hewston, Sr.....	9.45	F. Hewston, Jr.....	1.40
N. McDermid.....	12.25	H. Lloyd.....	10.85
R. McBride.....	42.00	F. Webb.....	30.45
D. McDermid.....	1.40	W. Baker.....	1.40
A. Allan.....	31.85	R. Hawman.....	18.20
F. Vancise.....	2.80	R. Kenwell.....	19.60
E. Granger.....	29.40	D. Cottrill.....	15.40
I. Kenwell.....	2.80	N. McCarl.....	25.15
C. Newton.....	4.20	A. Walker.....	4.20
N. Thompson.....	11.90	F. Jelly.....	9.45
J. McDonald.....	3.50	J. Ferguson.....	28.70
W. McClean.....	19.60	A. Roney.....	2.80
B. Gibson.....	15.75	F. Young.....	2.80
N. Campbell.....	17.50	F. Sampson.....	2.80
R. Sampson.....	2.80	D. Campbell.....	8.40
D. Sampson.....	2.80	W. Campbell.....	2.80

Mr. Kennedy asked the following Question (No. 156):—

1. Is the Ontario Research Foundation continuing its experiments and research work relating to the control of contagious abortion (Bang's disease), by work with the remaining herds of cattle at the Ontario Hospitals; if not, when were the experiments discontinued. 2. Over what period did the experiments extend and what amount was paid the Ontario Research Foundation in this connection. 3. At what Ontario Hospitals are dairy herds maintained. 4. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are T. B. tested. 5. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are blood tested regularly in relation to contagious abortion (Bang's disease).

The Honourable the Minister of Agriculture replied as follows:—

1. No; 1934. 2. 1931-34; \$5,735.52. 3. Brockville, Kingston, Whitby,

Hamilton, Langstaff, Orillia, Penetang, Woodstock. 4. All Ontario Hospital herds are tested for T. B. 5. All herds except those at Kingston and Hamilton which are under Calfbrand Vaccination Programme.

In respect to Question (No. 147) regarding the purchases in certain years from Taylor Hardware Company by Ontario Government and the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway,

The Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Dunbar, seconded by Mr. Doucett,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What purchases were made in the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 from the Taylor Hardware Company, either from its head office at New Liskeard, or from any of its branches elsewhere, by all Departments of the Ontario Government, including the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, giving the total amount of the purchases in each year from each branch of the company by each Department. 2. What was the general nature of the purchases.

In respect to Question (No. 161) regarding the lands required re construction of approaches of Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls,

The Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Macaulay, seconded by Mr. Kennedy,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What lands have been acquired to provide for construction of approaches or other works in connection with the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms.

On motion of Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That this House do forthwith resolve itself into a Committee to consider a certain proposed Resolution respecting the borrowing of money on the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), acquainted the House that His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the proposed Resolution, recommends it to the consideration of the House.

The House then resolved itself into the Committee.

*(In the Committee)**Resolved,*

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be now received.

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding, shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund

may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

The Resolution having been read the second time was agreed to and referred to the House on Bill (No. 97).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill (No. 97), An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The House again resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the Amendments be taken into consideration forthwith.

The Amendments, having been read the second time, were agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider Bill (No. 97), An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and, after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the Bill without any amendment.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-day.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario.

Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act.

Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act.

Bill (No. 92), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941.

Bill (No. 93), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941.

Bill (No. 96), An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited to the Montreal Trust Company.

Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941.

Bill (No. 97), An Act for Raising Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Mr. Patterson, from the Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Government Departments named be granted to His Majesty for the year ending March 31st, 1942:—

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE:

Main Office.....	\$ 353,407.50
Statistics and Publications Branch.....	12,225.00
Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch.....	125,720.00
Live Stock Branch.....	73,775.00
Institutes Branch.....	70,335.00
Dairy Branch.....	128,280.00
Milk Control Board.....	49,350.00
Fruit Branch.....	95,705.00
Agricultural Representatives Branch.....	330,300.00
Crops, Seeds and Weeds Branch.....	44,488.00
Co-operation and Markets Branch.....	31,375.00
Kemptville Agricultural School.....	96,560.00
Ontario Veterinary College.....	84,258.00
Western Ontario Experimental Farm.....	29,536.00
Demonstration Farm, New Liskeard.....	13,320.00
Demonstration Farm, Hearst.....	5,800.00
Northern Ontario Branch.....	24,375.00
Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.....	807,308.00
Co-operation and Markets Branch.....	25,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY-GENERAL:

Main Office.....	76,200.00
Supreme Court.....	85,175.00
Shorthand reporters.....	33,050.00
Toronto and York Crown Attorney's Office.....	27,500.00
Land Titles Office.....	25,300.00
Drainage Referees.....	2,550.00
Criminal Justice Accounts.....	986,200.00
Public Trustee's Office.....	67,750.00
Official Guardian's Office.....	34,950.00
Accountant's Office—Supreme Court of Ontario.....	21,970.00
Fire Marshal's Office.....	59,700.00
Inspector of Legal Offices.....	81,050.00
Law Enforcement Branch (Provincial Police).....	1,365,200.00
Ontario Securities Commission.....	63,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION:

Main Office.....	77,600.00
Legislative Library.....	16,750.00
Public Records and Archives.....	5,200.00
Public and Separate School Education.....	5,721,400.00
Inspection of Schools.....	546,600.00
Departmental Examinations.....	222,100.00

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION—Continued

Text Books.....	\$ 67,500.00
Training Schools.....	104,450.00
Toronto Normal and Model Schools.....	129,725.00
Ottawa Normal School.....	44,550.00
London Normal School.....	43,050.00
Hamilton Normal School.....	43,650.00
Peterborough Normal School.....	36,680.00
Stratford Normal School.....	34,400.00
North Bay Normal School.....	38,550.00
University of Ottawa Normal School.....	81,450.00
High Schools and Collegiate Institutes.....	890,500.00
Public Libraries.....	106,700.00
Vocational Education.....	1,858,450.00
Ontario Training College for Technical Teachers.....	27,500.00
Superannuated Teachers.....	8,800.00
Provincial and other Universities.....	1,836,000.00
Ontario School for the Deaf, Belleville.....	161,925.00
Ontario School for the Blind, Brantford.....	94,100.00

DEPARTMENT OF GAME AND FISHERIES:

Main Office.....	75,100.00
Districts.....	230,500.00
Game Animals and Birds.....	25,000.00
Macdiarmid.....	3,000.00
Biological and Fish Culture Branch.....	240,000.00
Grants.....	5,400.00
Wolf Bounty.....	40,000.00
Main Office—General.....	20,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH:

Main Office.....	278,300.00
Maternal and Child Hygiene and Public Health Nursing Branch.....	28,450.00
Dental Service Branch.....	13,600.00
Inspection of Training Schools for Nurses Branch.....	17,450.00
Epidemiology Branch.....	208,400.00
Venereal Diseases Branch.....	157,650.00
Tuberculosis Prevention Branch.....	170,440.00
Industrial Hygiene Branch.....	70,900.00
Sanitary Engineering Branch.....	48,900.00
Laboratory Branch.....	153,400.00
Laboratory Divisions.....	82,370.00
Hospitals Branch.....	3,831,850.00

Ontario Hospitals:

Brampton.....	7,975.00
Brockville.....	412,600.00
Cobourg.....	160,300.00
Fort William.....	68,800.00

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH—Continued

Hamilton.....	\$ 547,300.00
Kingston.....	445,900.00
Langstaff.....	131,200.00
London.....	623,900.00
New Toronto.....	515,800.00
New Toronto—Concord Unit.....	39,100.00
Orillia.....	571,200.00
Penetanguishene.....	254,400.00
Toronto.....	467,000.00
Whitby.....	703,300.00
Woodstock.....	567,800.00
Toronto Psychiatric.....	126,400.00

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS:

Main Office.....	401,800.00
Division Offices.....	420,000.00
Municipal Roads Branch.....	75,000.00
Gasoline Tax Branch.....	72,000.00
Miscellaneous Permits Branch.....	21,000.00
Motor Vehicles Branch.....	170,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE:

Main Office.....	62,425.00
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR:

Main Office.....	71,635.00
Industry and Labour Branch.....	13,555.00
Apprenticeship Branch.....	27,430.00
Boiler Inspection Branch.....	32,000.00
Factory Inspection Branch.....	10,595.00
Board of Examiners of Operating Engineers.....	26,980.00
Ontario Government Employment Offices.....	75,000.00
Minimum Wage Branch.....	38,975.00
Composite Inspection Division.....	110,830.00
War Emergency Training.....	400,000.00
Ontario Government Employment Offices.....	35,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND FORESTS:

Main Office.....	183,300.00
Agents.....	28,000.00
Rondeau Provincial Park.....	16,375.00
Ipperwash Beach Provincial Park.....	4,000.00
Forests Branch.....	85,000.00
Forests Service.....	1,600,000.00
Air Service.....	263,000.00
Radio Service.....	45,000.00
Woodmen's Employment Act.....	8,500.00
Clearing Townsites and Removal of Fire Hazards.....	20,000.00
Insect Control and Tree Diseases.....	17,000.00
Main Office—Surveys, etc.....	55,000.00
Forests Service—Reforestation.....	320,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF LEGISLATION:

Office of the Speaker.....	\$ 254,525.00
Office of the Law Clerk.....	13,125.00
Office of Crown-in-Chancery.....	4,800.00

OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.....	10,000.00
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DEPARTMENT OF MINES:

Main Office.....	280,525.00
Gas and Oil Well Inspectors' Branch.....	10,000.00
Sulphur Fumes Arbitrator.....	5,000.00
Temiskaming Testing Laboratories.....	24,750.00
Offices of Mining Recorders.....	39,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS:

Main Office.....	63,655.00
Ontario Municipal Board.....	30,935.00

DEPARTMENT OF PRIME MINISTER:

Main Office.....	19,400.00
Office of Executive Council.....	11,025.00
Travel and Publicity Bureau.....	300,000.00
Office of Civil Service Commissioner.....	11,460.00
Office of King's Printer.....	36,775.00
Office of Controller of Finances.....	11,910.00

OFFICE OF PROVINCIAL AUDITOR.....	112,200.00
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DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL SECRETARY:

Main Office.....	57,785.00
Registrar-General's Branch.....	80,265.00

Reformatories and Prisons Branch:

Main Office.....	172,500.00
Board of Parole.....	17,000.00
Ontario Reformatory, Guelph.....	776,000.00
Mercer Reformatory, Toronto.....	142,000.00
Industrial Farm, Burwash.....	560,000.00
Ontario Training School for Boys—Bowmanville.....	154,000.00
Ontario Training School for Girls—Galt.....	89,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PROVINCIAL TREASURER:

Main Office.....	87,640.00
Office of Budget Committee.....	9,420.00
Motion Picture Censorship and Theatre Inspection Branch...	44,025.00
Controller of Revenue Branch.....	404,460.00
Post Office.....	148,140.00
Main Office.....	800,000.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE:

Main Office, Grants—Refuges, Orphanages, etc.....	\$ 219,975.00
Children's Aid Branch.....	188,200.00
Mothers' Allowances Commission.....	4,660,650.00
Old Age Pensions Commission.....	3,564,000.00
Old Age Pensions Commission Branches.....	10,291,500.00

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS:

Main Office.....	79,100.00
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Public Buildings, Maintenance and Repairs:

General Superintendence.....	19,500.00
Lieutenant-Governor's Apartment.....	4,600.00
Legislative and Departmental Buildings.....	411,400.00
Osgoode Hall.....	37,000.00
Educational Buildings.....	10,600.00
Agricultural Buildings.....	10,700.00
Training Schools.....	2,200.00
District Buildings.....	12,625.00
Ontario Hospitals.....	50,000.00
Ontario Reformatories.....	475.00
Public Works.....	15,000.00
Ontario Government Office Building—Kingston.....	3,800.00
Ontario Hospitals.....	15,000.00
Ontario Reformatories.....	10,000.00
District Buildings.....	1,000.00
Fish Hatcheries.....	5,000.00
Public Works.....	261,000.00

MISCELLANEOUS.....	104,400.00
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The several Resolutions, having been read a second time, were concurred in.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Ways and Means.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight million, three hundred and forty thousand, four hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and Mr. Patterson reported, That the Committee had come to a Resolution.

Ordered, That the Report be received forthwith.

Mr. Patterson, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported a Resolution, which was read as follows:—

Resolved, That there be granted out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of this Province a sum not exceeding Fifty-eight million, three hundred and forty thousand, four hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents to meet the Supply to that extent granted to His Majesty.

The Resolution, having been read the second time, was agreed to.

The following Bill was then introduced and read the first time:—

Bill (No. 98), intituled, "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of Money for the Public Service of the Financial Year ending the 31st day of March, 1942." *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

On motion of Mr. Elgie, seconded by Mr. Acres,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.

On motion of Mr. Doucett, seconded by Mr. Downer,

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: (a) The number of motor cars and trucks purchased by the Government since July 11th, 1934, or by any board or commission of the Government, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted; (b) The department, board or commission for which purchased; (c) Date of purchase; (d) Make of car or truck; (e) Type of car or truck; (f) From whom purchased, with address; (g) Purchase price; (h) Indicating which of the cars and trucks so purchased are still owned by the Government or its boards or commissions.

The motion of Mr. Challies, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All correspondence, memoranda, telegrams, agreements or contracts

between the Government or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any or all power companies relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York, was, with the consent of the House, withdrawn.

The motion of Mr. Challies, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939, and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each individual or firm; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined. 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 4. State how value of timber is determined. 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, was, with the consent of the House, withdrawn.

Mr. Drew moved, seconded by Mr. Welsh,

That in the opinion of this Legislature the administration and control of the forest resources of this Province should be placed under the direction of a public body to be known as the Ontario Forest Resources Commission, organized along similar lines and with similar powers to those of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission.

And a Debate having arisen,

After some time the Motion, having been put, was lost on the following Division:—

YEAS

Acres	Duckworth	Macaulay
Arnott	Dunbar	Murphy
Black	Elgie	Reynolds
Challies	Frost	Spence
Cox	Henry	Stewart
Doucett,	Hepburn	Summerville
Downer	(Prince Edward-Lennox)	Welsh—22
Drew	Kennedy	

NAYS

Anderson	Fletcher	MacKay
Ballantyne	Freeborn	Mercer
Bégin	Gardhouse	Miller
Belanger	Gordon	Murray
Bethune	Guthrie	McQuesten
Bradley	Habel	Newlands
Brownridge	Hagey	Nixon
Carr	Haines	(Brant)
Cholette	Heenan	Nixon
Conacher	Hepburn	(Temiskaming)
Conant	(Elgin)	Oliver
Cooper	Hipel	Patterson
Croome	Kelly	Sinclair
Dewan	King	Smith
Dickson	Kirby	Strachan
Elliott	MacGillivray	Trottier—46
Fairbank		

On motion by Mr. Hepburn (Elgin), seconded by Mr. Nixon (Brant),

Ordered, That the full Sessional Indemnity be paid to those members of the Assembly whose services with the defence forces of Canada prevented their attendance and also to those members absent on account of illness or other unavoidable cause; and that the Sessional Indemnity of Mr. Campbell (Sault Ste. Marie) and Mr. Croll (Windsor-Walkerville) be paid to the wives of the two members named.

In respect to Question (No. 152), regarding agreements for construction of pulp mills,

The Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Henry, it was

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of tario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill, capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills, giving default date and particulars of default in each case.

In respect to Question (No. 153), regarding architects employed on Ontario Hospitals,

The Hon. Mr. Hepburn (Elgin) requested that this Question be made an Order for a Return and on the motion of Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Challies, it was

Ordered, That there be laid before this House a Return showing: 1. In connection with the Ontario Hospitals at St. Thomas, Port Arthur and Brampton, and in connection with additions or extensions at the Ontario Hospitals at Woodstock and New Toronto: (a) What outside architects were employed and what amount was paid to each by the present Government and what amounts are still due or claimed; (b) Give the same information in relation to employment of superintending engineers.

The Provincial Secretary presented to the House, by command of the Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor:—

Return to an Order of the House dated April 9th, 1941, That there be laid before the House a Return showing: 1. What lands have been acquired to provide for construction of approaches or other works in connection with the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms. (*Sessional Papers No. 58.*)

Also, Report upon the Ontario Training Schools for year ending March 31st, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 59.*)

Also, Report upon the Prisons and Reformatories of the Province of Ontario for year ending March 31st, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 18.*)

Also, Report of the Milk Control Board of Ontario for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 60.*)

Also, Report of the Statistics Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ontario, for year 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 22.*)

Also, Report of the Ontario Veterinary College for the year 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 29.*)

Also, Report relating to the Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths in the Province of Ontario for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 13.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Education, Ontario, for the twelve months ending October 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 11.*)

Also, Report of the Minister of Agriculture, Ontario, for the year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 21.*)

Also, Report of the Registrar of Loan Corporations for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 7.*)

Also, Report of the Superintendent of Insurance for the year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 6.*)

Also, Report on the Hospitals and Sanatoria of the Province of Ontario for year ending December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 16.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs for the Province of Ontario for the year ending March 31st, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 31.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Mines for year ending March 31st, 1941. (*Sessional Papers No. 4.*)

Also, Report of the Ontario Municipal Board to December 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 24.*)

Also, Report of the Department of Highways for fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. (*Sessional Papers No. 32.*)

The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and being seated upon the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:—

May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed several Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Acts that had passed severally as follows:—

The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour's Assent is prayed:—

An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

An Act to Incorporate the Society of Cost and Industrial Accountants of Ontario.

An Act respecting the London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.

An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall.

An Act respecting the Town of Orillia.

An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur.

An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury.

An Act respecting the Village of Swansea.

An Act to Incorporate Malton Water Company.

An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited.

An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa.

An Act respecting Appleby School.

An Act respecting certain Lodges of the Grand Lodge of Ontario, Independent Order of Oddfellows.

An Act to Incorporate the Daughters of the Empire Hospital for Convalescent Children.

An Act respecting the Board of Trustees of the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto.

An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph.

An Act respecting a Trust Settlement of the late Peter Birtwistle and the Corporation of the Borough of Colne (England).

An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

An Act respecting the City of Sudbury.

An Act respecting the Town of Timmins.

An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt.

An Act respecting Royal Botanical Gardens.

An Act to amend the Legislative Assembly Act.

An Act to amend The Sheriffs' Act.

An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Expenses Act.

An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

The Mortgagors' and Purchasers' Relief Act, 1941.

An Act to amend The Surrogate Courts Act.

An Act to amend The Registry Act.

An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act.

An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

An Act to amend The Private Hospitals Act.

An Act to amend The Plant Diseases Act.

An Act to amend The Wolf Bounty Act.

An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

An Act to amend The General Sessions Act.

An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act.

An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act.

An Act to amend The Magistrates Act.

An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act.

An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act.

An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act.

An Act respecting Bailiffs.

An Act to amend The Companies Act.

An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act.

An Act to confirm Tax Sales.

An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act.

An Act respecting the Subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario.

An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge.

An Act to amend The Jurors' Act.

An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.

An Act respecting British Child Guests.

An Act to amend The Northern Development Act.

An Act to amend The Railway Act.

An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives' Act.

An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act.

An Act to amend The Mining Act.

An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act.

An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act.

An Act to amend The Natural Gas Conservation Act.

An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Railways.

An Act to ratify and confirm a certain Agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and The Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company.

An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario).

An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1939.

An Act to amend The Bees Act.

An Act to amend The Milk Control Act.

The School Law Amendment Act, 1941.

An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act.

An Act to amend The Division Courts Act.

An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act.

An Act to amend The Securities Act.

An Act to amend The Cemetery Act.

An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act.

An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act.

An Act to amend The Surveys Act.

An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941.

An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act.

The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941.

The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941.

An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited, to the Montreal Trust Company.

An Act for raising money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“In His Majesty’s name, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor doth assent to these Acts.”

Mr. Speaker then said:—

May it please Your Honour:

We, His Majesty’s most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to His Majesty’s person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honour’s acceptance a Bill intituled, “An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service of the financial year ending the 31st day of March, 1942.”

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor doth thank His Majesty’s dutiful and loyal Subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in His Majesty’s name.”

His Honour was then pleased to deliver the following speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

As you have completed your Sessional duties, I am now able to relieve you of further attendance and, in doing so, I wish to express my appreciation for the services you have rendered.

During the Session, we were all shocked to hear of the death in the course of duty of Sir Frederick Banting. No words from me can express our profound

sense of loss at the passing of this native son of Ontario, whose development of insulin for the treatment of diabetes ranks amongst the greatest discoveries of medical science. His death is a loss, not only to Canada but to the world. It was very fitting that this Legislature, which made financial provision for continuing Dr. Banting's research work, should adjourn for a day in a tribute to his memory.

The effect of the war is noticeable in some of the legislation you have passed, particularly with respect to the subsidies you have provided for cheese and hogs. Great Britain now depends very materially on Ontario for bacon and cheese and my Ministers deemed it absolutely imperative that supplies should not fall off at a time when the costs of production were rising far more rapidly than the prices our farmers were receiving for their produce. I am confident that our citizens generally will accept cheerfully this common contribution to the war effort and that the people of Great Britain will appreciate the step you have taken. The offer to turn over to the Dominion Government certain buildings at the Ontario Agricultural College constitutes a further contribution by the Province to the war effort.

I was pleased to note that information presented to the House by the Minister of Labour indicated that during the past year time lost in Ontario due to strikes had been reduced to only a small fraction of previous years. Both employers and employees are to be commended for the good will they have shown in co-operating with the Department to this end, at a time when production is so vital for war purposes. During the Session, many of you had the opportunity of visiting the Aircraft School at Galt and seeing the extent of the work being carried on there, which has served as a model for similar projects in other provinces.

Several of the recommendations of the Select Committee appointed to enquire into the administration of justice, have been made effective by amendments to various statutes. These will help to simplify procedure and improve practice in the civil and criminal courts and will bring about certain economies in dealing with the ever-increasing amount of business coming before the courts. The law has been altered to make more generous provisions for the widow from the estate of a man who dies without making a will.

As I intimated at the opening of the Session, the finances of the Province are in a very satisfactory condition. This was demonstrated by the record surplus presented in the Budget of the Provincial Treasurer. I wish to thank you for the financial provision you have made for carrying on the affairs of the Province during the next twelve months. It is encouraging to know that this provision will be made without recourse to borrowing, except for refunding maturing issues, and that a surplus of receipts over all expenditures is again anticipated.

In closing, may I say that no one can be unmindful that throughout your debates there has been emphasized that essential unity which, during time of war, knits the people of this Province so closely together. As a citizen of Ontario I have been more than gratified by this evidence of co-operation while, as the representative of His Majesty the King, I am proud indeed of this spirit of loyalty and devotion. It is this same spirit which will ensure our final victory. The way may be long and hard, but there are signs which indicate the progress being made. While you have been in Session, the Congress and Senate of the United States

have voted decisively for unrestricted aid to our cause and the great President of the Republic has declared that this support will continue until the blackout of barbarism has been lifted. That stirring message brought renewed hope and confidence, not only to those who are fighting the battle of freedom by land, on sea and in the air, but to the nations now suffering oppression. For us, that message had a deeper significance when it was supplemented by inspiring addresses in this Assembly by Senator Claude Pepper and later by Mr. Wendell L. Willkie, Republican Candidate in the recent Presidential election in the United States. To these high-minded and eminent leaders of American public opinion, we cannot be sufficiently grateful and they helped to strengthen our resolve that the dark ages of tyranny and slavery shall not return to the earth. With faith in our cause and the stern voice of duty as our guide, let us all in the coming months devote ourselves in whatever ways we can to the great crusade in which the free democracies of the world are joined and, in the end, under Divine Providence, victory will be ours.

The Provincial Secretary then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:—

It is the will and pleasure of The Honourable the Lieutenant-Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is according prorogued.

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16. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 26.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

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30. “ 27.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many seizures of furs have been made under the provisions of Game and Fisheries enactments and relative laws during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs sold and what was the amount realized from such sales in each of the periods. 3. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were

the seized pelts or furs returned to the parties from whom they were seized. 4. Where furs or pelts were seized in each of the periods mentioned in (1) state: (a) Number of prosecutions in each period; (b) Number of convictions registered in each period; (c) Number of fines imposed and total amount of fines imposed in each period; (d) Number and total amount of such fines paid in each period; (e) Number of prison terms imposed in each period; (f) Number of acquittals in each period.

31. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of Liquor Control Board stores when the present Government took office. 2. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been opened by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location of store; (b) Date of opening in each case. 3. Since the present Government took office how many stores have been closed by the Liquor Control Board, specifying: (a) Location; (b) Date of closing; (c) Reason for closing. 4. How many Liquor Control Board stores were in operation on December 31st, 1940.
32. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many persons are employed as censors in the stores operated by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What is their average salary.
33. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid by the Department of Game and Fisheries to any other Department of the Government in relation to enforcement of Game and Fish laws between April 1st, 1937, and March 31st, 1940, and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating the amounts paid to the respective Departments.
34. “ 27.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments were made to John Cowan, as Commissioner under The Succession Duty Act, in the matter of inquiry into the Spencer estate. 2. What other payments, if any, have been made to Mr. Cowan as fees, salary, honoraria, allowances or otherwise and for what services other than his remuneration as Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Lambton County, specifying dates of payments.
36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

37. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Hydro-Electric Power Commission purchased any power plants since 1937, and if so give particulars in each case as to: (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Kilowatt hour capacity in normal year and normal capacity; (d) Date of construction; (e) Location; (f) Date of purchase.
38. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the peak loads and kilowatt hours purchased from each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month of the years 1938-1939. 2. What amount was paid for standby services, or secondary sundry power, during the above months.
39. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power taken each month in horse-power from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since December, 1939.
40. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro year 1939-1940. 2. What were: (a) Operating expenses; (b) Maintenance cost; (c) Interest charges; (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the total accumulated reserves to October 31st, 1940: (a) Sinking Fund; (b) Depreciation; (c) Contingencies and rate stabilization; (d) Any other reserves. 4. What was the capital cost in the years 1939-1940.
41. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount of horse-power of electric energy being exported during 1939-1940 to Massena, N.Y., by the, or through, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (a) From what Company or source is the energy secured by the Commission; (b) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the N.Y. interests to the Commission; (c) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the Commission to Company supplying the energy; (d) What is the Load Factor; (e) What price per horse-power does the Hydro-Electric Power Commission receive for this energy; (f) Is the price paid in United States or Canadian funds.
42. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated cost of the new development at Barrett Shute on the Madawaska River, exclusive of storage facilities. 2. What is the estimated cost of storage facilities. 3. What is the proposed installed horse-power of the plant. 4. What is the estimated maximum capacity of the plants at normal efficiency with spare equipment. State amount of latter. 5. What is the average annual horse-power capacity of plant in a normal year, utilizing the storage above named in (2). 6. What is the estimated annual load factor of plant utilizing the water available in a normal year in the most economical manner.

43. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the total horse-power exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States, giving names in each case with point of delivery, by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1939 and 1940: (a) Peak horse-power; (b) Kilowatt hours; (c) Price per horse-power.
44. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are the lands of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, constituted a Game Preserve; if so, when was such action taken. 2. Is any hunting or fishing allowed within the boundaries of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, detailing any prohibitions in effect under the Game and Fishery laws.
45. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been paid by the Government or by any Board or Commission of the Government to Armand Racine, K.C., specifying: (a) Date of each payment; (b) Amount of each payment; (c) Nature of services rendered; (d) Total amount paid. 2. What amounts are due to or claimed by Armand Racine to date.
46. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.

47. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Which Ontario Hospitals are equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 2. Which Ontario Hospitals are not equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 3. What steps, if any, have been taken to implement the recommendation on Page 63 of the Dr. Sam Hamilton report that moving pictures with sound should be provided for every institution (1937 Session, Sessional Paper No. 53).
48. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What has been the total amount expended by the Province to date by way of capital expenditure on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas. 2. What amounts, if any, are due to or claimed by, contractors or others as holdbacks, amounts in dispute or otherwise with respect to capital costs at the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, giving details.
49. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have any buildings other than the Administration Building been constructed in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur; if so, give particulars. 2. What amount has been spent to December 31st, 1940, on the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur on: (a) Capital account including land purchases, construction, etc.; (b) Ordinary account, including maintenance, salaries and wages of staff, heating, etc. 3. Are any amounts due to or claimed by contractors or others with respect to construction costs or other capital items and, if so, give particulars. 4. What staff is employed at the Port Arthur Hospital giving names, salary or wage rates and date employed. 5. Is any use being made of the administration building and, if so, specify. 6. Have any proposals been made as to using the administration building for other than mental hospital purposes, and, if so, give particulars.
50. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From January 1st, 1936, to December 31st, 1940, what special Crown Prosecutors have been appointed to assist at Assizes or other Courts, stating: (a) Name; (b) Legal matter or assize; (c) Per diem or other rate of remuneration; (d) Total amount paid each special prosecutor.
51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Pro-

ceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

52. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On January 31st, 1941, how many patients at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were: (a) In residence; (b) Boarded out; (c) On probation. 2. On January 31st, 1941, how many applications for admission to the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were on file, which could not be dealt with because of lack of room. 3. How many patients were discharged from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. How many of the discharged patients mentioned in (3) were placed in gainful occupations through the efforts of the Hospital organization. 5. What was the proper patient capacity of the Orillia Hospital according to the report of Dr. Sam Hamilton. 6. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 7. What was the sale value of the shoes mentioned in (6). 8. How many pairs of shoes were sold from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 9. What was the sales value of the shoes mentioned in (8). 10. Have any additional lands been purchased for use in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Orillia and, if so, state; (a) Description of lands acquired; (b) From whom acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel; (d) Date of purchase.

53. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What buildings at the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton were destroyed by fire in or about the month of August, 1940. 2. At what hour was the fire discovered. 3. What was the size of each building destroyed, of what construction, for what ordinarily used and what stock ordinarily was housed therein. 4. What was the estimated value of each of the buildings destroyed. 5. What was the quantity and value of property destroyed other than buildings and including: (a) Live stock; (b) Hay, grain and feeds; (c) Implements and other farm equipment; (d) Other property, specifying. 6. At the time of the fire, what was the live stock at the Hospital, specifying: (a) Horses; (b) Cattle; (c) Hogs; (d) Other stock. 7. What disposition has been made of this stock. 8. Have steps been taken to replace the buildings destroyed; if so, state: (a) Actual or estimated replacement costs; (b) Date when replacement will be effected. 9. Were buildings or property insured; if so state amount of insurance collected. 10. Is there any arrangement in existence

whereby the Hamilton Fire Brigade will assist in protecting Hospital property; if so when was it made and what are the terms thereof. 11. What fire brigades assisted in combatting the fire. 12. Was an ample water supply available for fire-fighting purposes; if not, why not. 13. Was an investigation made as to cause of, responsibility for and circumstances surrounding, the fire, and if so, by whom. 14. If investigation held, what were the findings as to cause, surrounding circumstances and responsibility. 15. If the dairy herd at the Hospital has been sold or placed elsewhere, state arrangements as to milk supply, indicating: (a) From whom secured; (b) Cost per gallon or hundred weight; (c) Average monthly cost.

54. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what solicitors have been appointed to the Inside Service, stating; (a) Name of Solicitor; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Initial salary; (b) Present salary; (e) Department to which attached. 2. Was the certificate of the Civil Service Commissioner issued with respect to each appointment, and, if not, specify. 3. Was the minimum salary exceeded in any case according to the Classification of the Civil Service and if so, specify, giving reasons.
55. “ 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
57. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.
58. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.
59. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total payment made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month for the years 1938-39.

60. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
61. “ 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

14. Feb. 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrate's Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

15. Feb. 19.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the amendment to the motion for the consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
16. “ 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 28.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

2. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry —1. Other than King's Highways or other roads, what public buildings or other public works are under construction by the Government, stating in each case: (a) Name, location and purpose of each project; (b) Estimated total cost of each project; (c) Probable date of completion of each project.

4. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been spent for maintenance on the Long Lac diversion since the works have been put into operation for the driving of pulpwood by: (a) The Government of the Province of Ontario; (b) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario. 2. Of the amounts spent for maintenance, what amounts have been repaid by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, giving date and amount of each payment. 3. What amounts are still due the Government by the Pulpwood Supply Company, Limited, with respect to maintenance charges on the Long Lac diversion. 4. Are any persons employed in operation of sluices or other mechanisms in connection with dams or other works connected with the Long Lac diversion by the Government or by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario and if so state: (a) Names; (b) Date appointed; (c) By whom paid; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Whether permanent, temporary or seasonal employees.
5. “ 20.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What decorative or commemorative features were built by the Department of Highways in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Way near Fort Erie. 2. Of what do these features essentially consist. 3. Who designed them and what was he paid for his work. 4. What was the contract price. 5. Who was the contractor. 6. What was the contractor paid: (a) Under the terms of his contract; (b) For extras or extensions.
6. “ 20.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For how many miles on the Kingston Road east of Toronto have posts equipped with reflectors been installed. 2. What was the cost of this equipment, including the installation. 3. On what other highways and to what extent has this equipment been installed. 4. Who made the respective installations and what was each contractor paid with respect to each installation. 5. What is the average cost, per post, of each installation, including the reflectors.
7. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the acreage of land acquired in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 2. For each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, what amounts were expended by the Government on ordinary account in relation to the Ontario Hospital at Brampton. 3. Of the amounts mentioned in (2) what amounts in each period mentioned were in relation to farm operation. 4. Who are the employees at the Ontario Hospital at Brampton, specifying: (a) Name; (b) Title and duties; (c) Rate of remuneration.
8. “ 20.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many motor cars have been purchased by the Government to be used in Highway patrol work in place of

motorcycles. 2. With respect to each car purchased state: (a) Name of manufacturer; (b) From whom purchased; (c) Price of each vehicle. 3. Were competitive tenders secured and if not, why not. 4. How many such cars is it estimated will be in use by: (a) December 31st, 1941; (b) December 31st, 1942. 5. How many such cars will be required to entirely replace the motor cycles now used. 6. What is the estimated annual cost of operating each car, stating: (a) Estimated cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, tire replacements and other charges other than depreciation; (b) Write off for depreciation. 7. What is the annual average cost to the Government in relation to the operation of a motor cycle in Highway patrol work.

9. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Dunbar*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the indebtedness of the Niagara Parks Commission as of March 31st, 1940, and December 31st, 1940, indicating: (a) Funded debt, provincially guaranteed; (b) Unfunded debt, provincially guaranteed; (c) Funded debt, not provincially guaranteed; (d) Unfunded debt, not provincially guaranteed.
11. “ 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
13. “ 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government to February 15th, 1941, with respect to Air Raid Precautions: (a) As to materials purchased giving particulars as to kinds and quantities purchased, name of each vendor and amount paid to each vendor; (b) As to all other expenditures. 2. What Air Raid Precautions material is now on hand stating: (a) Points at which stored; (b) Kinds and quantities of material stored at each point. 3. What official is in general charge of Air Raid Precautions for the Province and generally, what have been his activities in the matter.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What

amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

15. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount spent up to December 31st, 1940, on the Ogoki Diversion project by: (a) The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario; (b) The Government of the Province of Ontario. 2. What is the estimated cost of finishing the project. 3. What contractors were employed on the work and what amount was paid to each and by whom. 4. Was any of the work done by day labour; if so what amount was spent in this connection and by whom. 5. Is any work being done on the project at the present time and if so, give particulars. 6. Does any benefit enure to the Province by reason of the work done to date, and, if so, give particulars.
16. “ 26.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been paid (1) by private companies, (2) Hydro-Electric Power Companies to the Government of Ontario in the form of water rentals for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.
17. “ 26.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What total amounts have been paid in the form of or in lieu of taxes by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for plants, etc., on the Niagara River to any Municipality for the years 1936-1940 inclusive.
18. “ 26.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What system or systems secured power from the Chat Falls Plant during the Hydro year 1939-40, and what was the 20-minute peak in horsepower per month in each case. 2. What system or systems were charged for the carrying charges of the frequency changer at the Chats Falls plant and what was the yearly charge and how allocated.
19. “ 26.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the total amount paid by Ontario Rural Hydro users under the 8% Dominion War Tax for the Hydro year 1939-40.
20. “ 26.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Have any new contracts or extension of previous contracts or agreement or under-

standing been made with any Quebec Power Company since May, 1937, in reference to supply of Electric Energy. If any, give names of Companies and particulars as to (a) Amount of energy; (b) Load Factor; (c) Date; (d) Price; (e) Point of delivery; (f) Voltage.

21. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.
22. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many hogs were lost in 1940 at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph as a result of hog cholera. 2. What was their value. 3. When was the outbreak of cholera detected and when was it brought under control.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.
24. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government in the erection of a comfort station at Port Burwell in the constituency of Elgin. 2. What municipal bodies or officials, organizations or individuals requested the Government to install this convenience. 3. What was paid by the Government for: (a) Land; (b) Construction of buildings and furnishing and installing equipment. 4. From whom was the land purchased and what was the area. 5. To whom were contracts let for buildings, and for furnishing and installation of equipment and state amount paid to each. 6. Is a caretaker or other staff furnished by the Government to look after maintenance of the convenience, and if so, give particulars. 7. Is installation of this comfort station part of a general programme on the part of the Government to install such stations generally at summer resorts or elsewhere and if so, state at what points similar installations have been made.

25. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What individuals or organizations recommended the founding of Ipperwash Park in the County of Lambton. 2. Who acted as valuator for the Government in the purchase of the land. 3. Aside from the purchase price of \$10,000 what amount has been spent on Ipperwash Park by way of: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 4. What improvements have been placed on the property by the Government. 5. What staff are employed at the Park, stating: (a) Name; (b) Date appointed; (c) Whether temporary, permanent or seasonal; (d) Salary or wage rates. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Park, when was he appointed and what is his salary. 7. What Department of the Government is concerned with administering the affairs of the Park.
26. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total expense to the Province of Ontario involved in delivery of the Clydesdale stallion, Craigie Realization, at the Ontario Agricultural College, including purchase price and all transportation and other charges relating to delivery of the animal. 2. When did the animal arrive at the Ontario Agricultural College. 3. When did he die. 4. Has the Government any information as to his progeny, and if so, what is the number thereof. 5. How many of his progeny are now owned by the Province and where are they located.
27. “ 27.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and 1940, what amount was paid to the Ontario Cheese Producers Marketing Board under the provisions of The Ontario Farm Products Control Act.
28. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Government any information respecting an epidemic of hog cholera in the western part of the Province during the year 1940. 2. If so: (a) What measures were taken by the Government in the matters of localizing and checking the epidemic; (b) How many hogs were effected and destroyed; (c) What was the approximate value of the hogs destroyed; (d) Has any measure of compensation been granted by the Government to hog owners and, if so, give particulars.
29. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Agricultural Demonstration Farm at New Liskeard in operation. 2. What expenditures, specifying capital and ordinary, have been made with respect to the operation of this farm in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939.
30. “ 27.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many seizures of furs have been made under the provisions of Game and Fisheries enactments and relative laws during the fiscal years 1939 and 1940 and from April 1st, 1940, to December 31st,

1940. 2. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs sold and what was the amount realized from such sales in each of the periods. 3. In how many cases in each of the periods mentioned in (1) were the seized pelts or furs returned to the parties from whom they were seized. 4. Where furs or pelts were seized in each of the periods mentioned in (1) state: (a) Number of prosecutions in each period; (b) Number of convictions registered in each period; (c) Number of fines imposed and total amount of fines imposed in each period; (d) Number and total amount of such fines paid in each period; (e) Number of prison terms imposed in each period; (f) Number of acquittals in each period.

34. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments were made to John Cowan, as Commissioner under The Succession Duty Act, in the matter of inquiry into the Spencer estate. 2. What other payments, if any, have been made to Mr. Cowan as fees, salary, honoraria, allowances or otherwise and for what services other than his remuneration as Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Lambton County, specifying dates of payments.
36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
37. “ 27.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Hydro-Electric Power Commission purchased any power plants since 1937, and if so give particulars in each case as to: (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Kilowatt hour capacity in normal year and normal capacity; (d) Date of construction; (e) Location; (f) Date of purchase.
38. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the peak loads and kilowatt hours purchased from each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month of the years 1938-1939. 2. What amount was paid for standby services, or secondary sundry power, during the above months.
39. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power taken each month in horse-power from each of the Quebec Power Companies in 25 cycle and 60 cycle power since December, 1939.

40. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total revenue from customers served by the Abitibi Canyon Development for the Hydro year 1939-1940. 2. What were: (a) Operating expenses; (b) Maintenance cost; (c) Interest charges; (d) Other current expenses for the same period. 3. What are the total accumulated reserves to October 31st, 1940: (a) Sinking Fund; (b) Depreciation; (c) Contingencies and rate stabilization; (d) Any other reserves. 4. What was the capital cost in the years 1939-1940.
41. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount of horse-power of electric energy being exported during 1939-1940 to Massena, N.Y., by the, or through, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (a) From what Company or source is the energy secured by the Commission; (b) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the N.Y. interests to the Commission; (c) Where is the energy measured as a basis for payment by the Commission to Company supplying the energy; (d) What is the Load Factor; (e) What price per horse-power does the Hydro-Electric Power Commission receive for this energy; (f) Is the price paid in United States or Canadian funds.
42. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated cost of the new development at Barrett Shute on the Madawaska River, exclusive of storage facilities. 2. What is the estimated cost of storage facilities. 3. What is the proposed installed horse-power of the plant. 4. What is the estimated maximum capacity of the plants at normal efficiency with spare equipment. State amount of latter. 5. What is the average annual horse-power capacity of plant in a normal year, utilizing the storage above named in (2). 6. What is the estimated annual load factor of plant utilizing the water available in a normal year in the most economical manner.
43. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What is the total horse-power exported or sold each month to persons or corporations in the United States, giving names in each case with point of delivery, by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario during each of the years 1939 and 1940: (a) Peak horse-power; (b) Kilowatt hours; (c) Price per horse-power.
44. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are the lands of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, constituted a Game Preserve; if so, when was such action taken. 2. Is any hunting or fishing allowed within the boundaries of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, detailing any prohibitions in effect under the Game and Fishery laws.
45. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been paid by the Government or by any Board or Commission of the Government to Armand Racine, K.C., specifying:

(a) Date of each payment; (b) Amount of each payment; (c) Nature of services rendered; (d) Total amount paid. 2. What amounts are due to or claimed by Armand Racine to date.

46. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.
47. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Which Ontario Hospitals are equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 2. Which Ontario Hospitals are not equipped for the showing of motion pictures with sound. 3. What steps, if any, have been taken to implement the recommendation on Page 63 of the Dr. Sam Hamilton report that moving pictures with sound should be provided for every institution (1937 Session, Sessional Paper No. 53).
48. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What has been the total amount expended by the Province to date by way of capital expenditure on the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas. 2. What amounts, if any, are due to or claimed by, contractors or others as holdbacks, amounts in dispute or otherwise with respect to capital costs at the Ontario Hospital at St. Thomas, giving details.
49. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Have any buildings other than the Administration Building been constructed in

connection with the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur; if so, give particulars. 2. What amount has been spent to December 31st, 1940, on the construction of the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur on: (a) Capital account including land purchases, construction, etc.; (b) Ordinary account, including maintenance, salaries and wages of staff, heating, etc. 3. Are any amounts due to or claimed by contractors or others with respect to construction costs or other capital items and, if so, give particulars. 4. What staff is employed at the Port Arthur Hospital giving names, salary or wage rates and date employed. 5. Is any use being made of the administration building and, if so, specify. 6. Have any proposals been made as to using the administration building for other than mental hospital purposes, and, if so, give particulars.

50. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From January 1st, 1936, to December 31st, 1940, what special Crown Prosecutors have been appointed to assist at Assizes or other Courts, stating: (a) Name; (b) Legal matter or assize; (c) Per diem or other rate of remuneration; (d) Total amount paid each special prosecutor.

51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

52. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On January 31st, 1941, how many patients at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were: (a) In residence; (b) Boarded out; (c) On probation. 2. On January 31st, 1941, how many applications for admission to the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were on file, which could not be dealt with because of lack of room. 3. How many patients were discharged from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. How many of the discharged

patients mentioned in (3) were placed in gainful occupations through the efforts of the Hospital organization. 5. What was the proper patient capacity of the Orillia Hospital according to the report of Dr. Sam Hamilton. 6. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 7. What was the sale value of the shoes mentioned in (6). 8. How many pairs of shoes were sold from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 9. What was the sales value of the shoes mentioned in (8). 10. Have any additional lands been purchased for use in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Orillia and, if so, state; (a) Description of lands acquired; (b) From whom acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel; (d) Date of purchase.

53. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What buildings at the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton were destroyed by fire in or about the month of August, 1940. 2. At what hour was the fire discovered. 3. What was the size of each building destroyed, of what construction, for what ordinarily used and what stock ordinarily was housed therein. 4. What was the estimated value of each of the buildings destroyed. 5. What was the quantity and value of property destroyed other than buildings and including: (a) Live stock; (b) Hay, grain and feeds; (c) Implements and other farm equipment; (d) Other property, specifying. 6. At the time of the fire, what was the live stock at the Hospital, specifying: (a) Horses; (b) Cattle; (c) Hogs; (d) Other stock. 7. What disposition has been made of this stock. 8. Have steps been taken to replace the buildings destroyed; if so, state: (a) Actual or estimated replacement costs; (b) Date when replacement will be effected. 9. Were buildings or property insured; if so state amount of insurance collected. 10. Is there any arrangement in existence whereby the Hamilton Fire Brigade will assist in protecting Hospital property; if so when was it made and what are the terms thereof. 11. What fire brigades assisted in combatting the fire. 12. Was an ample water supply available for fire-fighting purposes; if not, why not. 13. Was an investigation made as to cause of, responsibility for and circumstances surrounding, the fire, and if so, by whom. 14. If investigation held, what were the findings as to cause, surrounding circumstances and responsibility. 15. If the dairy herd at the Hospital has been sold or placed elsewhere, state arrangements as to milk supply, indicating: (a) From whom secured; (b) Cost per gallon or hundred weight; (c) Average monthly cost.

54. “ 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what solicitors have been appointed to the Inside Service, stating; (a) Name of Solicitor; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Initial salary; (b) Present salary; (e) Department to which attached. 2. Was the certificate of the Civil Service Com-

missioner issued with respect to each appointment, and, if not, specify. 3. Was the minimum salary exceeded in any case according to the Classification of the Civil Service and if so, specify, giving reasons.

55. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
57. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.
58. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.
59. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total payment made by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to each of the Quebec Power Companies for 25 cycle and 60 cycle power for each month for the years 1938-39.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
61. “ 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.
62. “ 28.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Deputy Fire Marshal of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary. 4. What are his specific qualifications for the position.

63. Feb. 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.
64. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, what payments have been made to Cockfield, Brown and Co., Ltd.
65. “ 28.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many pupils are enrolled during the current school year at the Ontario School for the Blind at Brantford. 2. How many pupils have graduated therefrom in each of the school years 1930 to 1940, inclusive. 3. How many employees are there on: (a) The teaching staff; (b) The business office staff; (c) All other staffs. 4. Are any graduates of the School employed therein and if so, how many, indicating the number in the several categories. 5. Who is the Principal or Superintendent. 6. When was he appointed. 7. What was his initial salary and what is his present salary. 8. What are his academic qualifications; what are his special qualifications and where and how acquired. 9. What was the revenue from the School in 1938, 1939 and 1940 fiscal years from (a) Fees; (b) All other sources. 10. What was the gross cost of operation in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 11. What was the gross per capita per day in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 12. What is the amount of farm and garden land cultivated in connection with the School. 13. How many graduates in the school years ending in 1938, 1939 and 1940, respectively, were placed in gainful occupation with the assistance of the School organization.
66. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.
67. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Dr. Sophie Bookhalter employed in the Department of Health for Ontario.

2. If so, where is Dr. Bookhalter employed, what was the date of her appointment, what is the nature of her duties and what is her official title and salary. 3. Who aside from members of the Government and officials of the Government recommended Dr. Bookhalter's appointment. 4. Was Dr. Bookhalter a resident of Ontario when appointed and if not, where was she residing. 5. What special qualifications, if any, has Dr. Bookhalter in relation to her work.

68. Feb. 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
69. “ 28.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.

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11. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales, 1941. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

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2. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Other than King's Highways or other roads, what public buildings or other public works are under construction by the Government, stating in each case: (a) Name, location and purpose of each project; (b) Estimated total cost of each project; (c) Probable date of completion of each project.
5. “ 20.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What decorative or commemorative features were built by the Department of Highways in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Way near Fort Erie. 2. Of what do these features essentially consist. 3. Who designed them and what was he paid for his work. 4. What was the contract price. 5. Who was the contractor. 6. What was the contractor paid: (a) Under the terms of his contract; (b) For extras or extensions.

6. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For how many miles on the Kingston Road east of Toronto have posts equipped with reflectors been installed. 2. What was the cost of this equipment, including the installation. 3. On what other highways and to what extent has this equipment been installed. 4. Who made the respective installations and what was each contractor paid with respect to each installation. 5. What is the average cost, per post, of each installation, including the reflectors.
8. “ 20.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many motor cars have been purchased by the Government to be used in Highway patrol work in place of motorcycles. 2. With respect to each car purchased state: (a) Name of manufacturer; (b) From whom purchased; (c) Price of each vehicle. 3. Were competitive tenders secured and if not, why not. 4. How many such cars is it estimated will be in use by: (a) December 31st, 1941; (b) December 31st, 1942. 5. How many such cars will be required to entirely replace the motor cycles now used. 6. What is the estimated annual cost of operating each car, stating: (a) Estimated cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, tire replacements and other charges other than depreciation; (b) Write off for depreciation. 7. What is the annual average cost to the Government in relation to the operation of a motor cycle in Highway patrol work.
9. “ 20.—*Mr. Dunbar*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the indebtedness of the Niagara Parks Commission as of March 31st, 1940, and December 31st, 1940, indicating: (a) Funded debt, provincially guaranteed; (b) Unfunded debt, provincially guaranteed; (c) Funded debt, not provincially guaranteed; (d) Unfunded debt, not provincially guaranteed.
11. “ 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
13. “ 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government to February 15th, 1941, with respect to Air Raid Precautions: (a) As to materials purchased giving particulars as to kinds and quantities purchased, name of each vendor and amount paid to each vendor; (b) As to all

other expenditures. 2. What Air Raid Precautions material is now on hand stating: (a) Points at which stored; (b) Kinds and quantities of material stored at each point. 3. What official is in general charge of Air Raid Precautions for the Province and generally, what have been his activities in the matter.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
21. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.
22. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many hogs were lost in 1940 at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph as a result of hog cholera. 2. What was their value. 3. When was the outbreak of cholera detected and when was it brought under control.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who

were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

24. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government in the erection of a comfort station at Port Burwell in the constituency of Elgin. 2. What municipal bodies or officials, organizations or individuals requested the Government to install this convenience. 3. What was paid by the Government for: (a) Land; (b) Construction of buildings and furnishing and installing equipment. 4. From whom was the land purchased and what was the area. 5. To whom were contracts let for buildings, and for furnishing and installation of equipment and state amount paid to each. 6. Is a caretaker or other staff furnished by the Government to look after maintenance of the convenience, and if so, give particulars. 7. Is installation of this comfort station part of a general programme on the part of the Government to install such stations generally at summer resorts or elsewhere and if so, state at what points similar installations have been made.

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34. “ 27.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments were made to John Cowan, as Commissioner under The Succession Duty Act, in the matter of inquiry into the Spencer estate. 2. What other payments, if any, have been made to Mr. Cowan as fees, salary, honoraria, allowances or otherwise and for what services other than his remuneration as Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Lambton County, specifying dates of payments.
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made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

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44. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are the lands of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, constituted a Game Preserve; if so, when was such action taken. 2. Is any hunting or fishing allowed within the boundaries of the Industrial Farm, Burwash, detailing any prohibitions in effect under the Game and Fishery laws.
46. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.
50. “ 27.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From January 1st, 1936, to December 31st, 1940, what special Crown Prosecutors have been appointed to assist at Assizes or other Courts, stating: (a) Name; (b) Legal matter or assize; (c) Per diem or other rate of remuneration; (d) Total amount paid each special prosecutor.
51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any

amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

52. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On January 31st, 1941, how many patients at the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were: (a) In residence; (b) Boarded out; (c) On probation. 2. On January 31st, 1941, how many applications for admission to the Ontario Hospital, Orillia, were on file, which could not be dealt with because of lack of room. 3. How many patients were discharged from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940, and during the fiscal year 1941 to January 31st, 1941. 4. How many of the discharged patients mentioned in (3) were placed in gainful occupations through the efforts of the Hospital organization. 5. What was the proper patient capacity of the Orillia Hospital according to the report of Dr. Sam Hamilton. 6. How many pairs of shoes were manufactured at the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 7. What was the sale value of the shoes mentioned in (6). 8. How many pairs of shoes were sold from the Ontario Hospital at Orillia during the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 9. What was the sales value of the shoes mentioned in (8). 10. Have any additional lands been purchased for use in connection with the Ontario Hospital at Orillia and, if so, state; (a) Description of lands acquired; (b) From whom acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel; (d) Date of purchase.

53. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What buildings at the Ontario Hospital at Hamilton were destroyed by fire in or about the month of August, 1940. 2. At what hour was the fire discovered. 3. What was the size of each building destroyed, of what construction, for what ordinarily used and what stock ordinarily was housed therein. 4. What was the estimated value of each of the buildings destroyed. 5. What was the quantity and value of property destroyed other than buildings and including: (a) Live stock; (b) Hay, grain and feeds; (c) Implements and other farm equipment; (d) Other property, specifying. 6. At the time of the fire, what was the

live stock at the Hospital, specifying: (a) Horses; (b) Cattle; (c) Hogs; (d) Other stock. 7. What disposition has been made of this stock. 8. Have steps been taken to replace the buildings destroyed; if so, state: (a) Actual or estimated replacement costs; (b) Date when replacement will be effected. 9. Were buildings or property insured; if so state amount of insurance collected. 10. Is there any arrangement in existence whereby the Hamilton Fire Brigade will assist in protecting Hospital property; if so when was it made and what are the terms thereof. 11. What fire brigades assisted in combatting the fire. 12. Was an ample water supply available for fire-fighting purposes; if not, why not. 13. Was an investigation made as to cause of, responsibility for and circumstances surrounding, the fire, and if so, by whom. 14. If investigation held, what were the findings as to cause, surrounding circumstances and responsibility. 15. If the dairy herd at the Hospital has been sold or placed elsewhere, state arrangements as to milk supply, indicating: (a) From whom secured; (b) Cost per gallon or hundred weight; (c) Average monthly cost.

55. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
57. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.
58. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.

61. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.
62. “ 28.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Deputy Fire Marshal of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary. 4. What are his specific qualifications for the position.
63. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.
64. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, what payments have been made to Cockfield, Brown and Co., Ltd.
65. “ 28.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many pupils are enrolled during the current school year at the Ontario School for the Blind at Brantford. 2. How many pupils have graduated therefrom in each of the school years 1930 to 1940, inclusive. 3. How many employees are there on: (a) The teaching staff; (b) The business office staff; (c) All other staffs. 4. Are any graduates of the School employed therein and if so, how many, indicating the number in the several categories. 5. Who is the Principal or Superintendent. 6. When was he appointed. 7. What was his initial salary and what is his present salary. 8. What are his academic qualifications; what are his special qualifications and where and how acquired. 9. What was the revenue from the School in 1938, 1939 and 1940 fiscal years from (a) Fees; (b) All other sources. 10. What was the gross cost of operation in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 11. What was the gross per capita per day in each of the fiscal years mentioned in (9). 12. What is the amount of farm and garden land cultivated in connection with the School. 13. How many graduates in the school years ending in 1938, 1939 and 1940, respectively, were placed in gainful occupation with the assistance of the School organization.
66. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way

of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.

68. Feb. 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
69. “ 28.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
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mission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

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77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

13. Mar. 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa. *Mr. Dunbar.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 5. —*Second Reading* Bill (No. 7), An Act respecting the Township of West Gwillimbury. *Mr. Baker.* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School. *Mr. Blakelock.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 5. - *Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

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2. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Other than King's Highways or other roads, what public buildings or other public works are under construction by the Government, stating in each case: (a) Name, location and purpose of each project; (b) Estimated total cost of each project; (c) Probable date of completion of each project.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
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55. “ 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. 2. What remuneration, if any, has been paid to the members of the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission and on what basis is such remuneration paid.
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58. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.

61. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many magistrates were dismissed or were asked for their resignations by the present administration since July 15th, 1934. 2. How many of such magistrates served more than two years prior to their dismissal or removal.
63. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.
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66. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.
68. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
69. “ 28.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the

Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

71. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.
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73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
74. “ 3.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Mr. A. N. Middleton, Public Trustee, superannuated, and if so, when. 2. Who is his successor. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. What are his special qualifications for the position. 6. How many employees are on the staff in the office of the Public Trustee. 7. What was the total cost of operating the office of the Public Trustee in the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940. 8. On December 31st, 1940, how many estates of Ontario Hospital patients were being administered by the Public Trustee. 9. How many estates or matters, other than estates of mental hospital patients, were being administered by the Public Trustee on December 31st, 1940.
75. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and

furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

77. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1941.

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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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6. Feb. 19.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the amendment to the motion for the consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
7. " 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
8. " 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
9. " 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 40), An Act to amend The Partnership Registration Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
10. " 28.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
11. " 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. Mar. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
13. " 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 45), An Act respecting Bailiffs. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
14. " 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
15. " 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 47), An Act to amend The Summary Convictions Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
16. " 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales, 1941. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
17. " 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

21. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.
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24. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount was spent by the Government in the erection of a comfort station at Port Burwell in the constituency of Elgin. 2. What municipal bodies or officials, organizations or individuals requested the Government to install this convenience. 3. What was paid by the Government for: (a) Land; (b) Construction of buildings and furnishing and installing equipment. 4. From whom was the land purchased and what was the area. 5. To whom were contracts let for buildings, and for furnishing and installation of equipment and state amount paid to each. 6. Is a caretaker or other staff furnished by the Government to look after maintenance of the convenience, and if so, give particulars. 7. Is installation of this comfort station part of a general programme on the part of the Government to install such stations generally at summer resorts or elsewhere and if so, state at what points similar installations have been made.
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from the purchase price of \$10,000 what amount has been spent on Ipperwash Park by way of: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 4. What improvements have been placed on the property by the Government. 5. What staff are employed at the Park, stating: (a) Name; (b) Date appointed; (c) Whether temporary, permanent or seasonal; (d) Salary or wage rates. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Park, when was he appointed and what is his salary. 7. What Department of the Government is concerned with administering the affairs of the Park.

26. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total expense to the Province of Ontario involved in delivery of the Clydesdale stallion, Craigie Realization, at the Ontario Agricultural College, including purchase price and all transportation and other charges relating to delivery of the animal. 2. When did the animal arrive at the Ontario Agricultural College. 3. When did he die. 4. Has the Government any information as to his progeny, and if so, what is the number thereof. 5. How many of his progeny are now owned by the Province and where are they located.

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46. “ 27.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. On December 31st, 1940, how many patients were in residence at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, formerly commonly known as the Toronto Gaol Farm for Men. 2. Are both male and female patients treated at the Ontario Hospital, Langstaff, and if so specify number of each sex as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What alterations and repairs were necessary to convert the buildings and plant at the Toronto Gaol Farm, Langstaff, into a mental hospital, specifying: (a) Nature of repairs and alterations; (b) Name of contractor or contractors making such repairs and alterations; (c) Amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract; (d) Total cost of repairs and alterations performed on day labour or other basis aside from contracts. 4. What furniture and furnishings, and equipment, was purchased with respect to the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, specifying: (a) General description of furniture and furnishings, and equipment; (b) Names of persons supplying furniture, furnishings and equipment with amount paid to each. 5. Were repairs and alterations and supplying of furniture, furnishings and equipment on a competitive tender basis. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating salary and date of appointment. 7. Who is the Steward at the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff, stating date of appointment, salary and particulars of former office and business experience. 8. How many persons are employed on the staff of the Ontario Hospital at Langstaff. 9. What disposition was made of the staff of the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Men at Langstaff giving names and particulars in each case.
51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940.

3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
57. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the 20-minute peak demand for electric energy for the Eastern Ontario Hydro-Electric Power System for the months of January, November and December for the year 1940 and January, 1941, for total primary and total primary and secondary.
58. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System, inclusive of power used for steam production, export power, contractual obligations and peak demand, for the months of January, November and December for the year 1939-40.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
63. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Department of Agriculture carry insurance covering public liability and property damage risks on automobiles owned by the Province of Ontario and operated in connection with activities of the Department of Agriculture. 2. If so, what, on December 31st, 1940, were the names of the companies carrying the insurance, the amounts of the policies, the premiums paid with respect to each policy and the names and addresses of the agents through which the insurance was placed. 3. How many automobiles are covered by such policies.

66. Feb. 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.
68. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
69. “ 28.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In cases of deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals, is it the practice to call a Coroner. 2. Since November 1st, 1934, in how many cases have Coroners been called to Ontario Hospitals in connection with deaths of patients. 3. What is the total amount paid since November 1st, 1934, to Coroners in connection with their visits to Ontario Hospitals in relation to deaths of patients. 4. Since November 1st, 1934, how many Coroners' inquests have been held in relation to deaths of patients in Ontario Hospitals.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
71. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over

\$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

74. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Was Mr. A. N. Middleton, Public Trustee, superannuated, and if so, when. 2. Who is his successor. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. What are his special qualifications for the position. 6. How many employees are on the staff in the office of the Public Trustee. 7. What was the total cost of operating the office of the Public Trustee in the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940. 8. On December 31st, 1940, how many estates of Ontario Hospital patients were being administered by the Public Trustee. 9. How many estates or matters, other than estates of mental hospital patients, were being administered by the Public Trustee on December 31st, 1940.
75. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

78. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, and including the period from April 1st, 1940, to date, what amounts have been paid, and to whom, as Iron Ore Bounty. 2. In each case mentioned in (1), state the number of tons of ore on which bounty was paid and the mines from which such ore was produced.
79. “ 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many tourist booklets were purchased in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939 and 1940, and during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. From whom were the books purchased. 3. What was the unit price in each case and what was the total amount paid the vendor in each case. 4. Who supplied the photographs and what was the total amount paid to each person supplying photographs in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
80. “ 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What appointments have been made in the Criminal Investigation Branch of the Ontario Provincial Police since the present Government took office, stating: (a) Name of appointee; (b) Date of appointment; (c) Salary; (d) Official title; (e) Indicating whether by promotion or outside appointment.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
83. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In how many municipalities does the Liquor Control Board require that beverage rooms close earlier than twelve o'clock midnight, and state: (a) Name of each municipality in which earlier closing is required; (b) Closing hour in each case; (c) Date that earlier closing became effective in each case. 2. Have any municipal requests for earlier closing been refused by the Liquor Control Board and if so, give particulars.

84. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Frost*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who were the members of the Milk Control Board in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. During the same fiscal years, what was each member paid; (a) By way of salary, honorarium or other allowance; (b) By way of travelling and other expenses. 3. In each of the fiscal years mentioned in (1), how many legally constituted meetings of the Board have been held.
85. “ 6.—*Mr. Arnott*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total expenditure in connection with the Royal Commission which investigated the affairs of the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph following the riots of 1937. 2. What amounts were paid and to whom and for what services.
86. “ 6.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, including Chairman and specifying date of appointment and salary in each case. 2. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 3. What persons have been appointed to the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, specifying date of appointment, address at date of appointment and commencing salary together with official title. 4. What officials or employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board have been dismissed or requested to resign since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request for resignation in each case.
87. “ 6.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since August 31st, 1934, what is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds bought in by the Government. 2. What is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds still outstanding, giving details as to the various issues.
88. “ 6.—*Mr. Welsh*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many physicians, senior assistant physicians, graduate medical internes, other medical internes and dentists were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, and state in each case name, position held, salary, and if not in receipt of salary, stating honorarium or perquisites allowed in lieu thereof. 2. How many physicians from the Ontario Hospital staffs were on January 31st, 1941, attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, for additional training or other purpose and give names and salaries. 3. What consultants were attached to the staff of the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, also giving title and rate of salary, honoraria or other emolument in each case. 4. How many persons were employed at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, as of January 31st, 1941, specifying: (a) Full-time employees; (b) Part-time employees and (c) Consultants. 5. What was the average number of patients in residence at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the year ending January 31st, 1941.

6. How many Psychiatric Hospital employees are engaged in the out-patient clinic. 7. How many patients were treated in the out-patient clinic at the Psychiatric Hospital, Toronto, during the twelve months ended January 31st, 1941. 8. What was the average gross per capita cost and net per capita cost of maintaining a patient in the Psychiatric Hospital for the year ending March 31st, 1940.

89. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Grand River Conservation Commission as provided by Chapter 15, Statutes of Ontario, 2 George VI, 1938, and when was each appointed and by whom. 2. Who are the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman and the Secretary-Treasurer of the Commission. 3. What are the names and addresses of the Board of Engineers and who is the Chairman. 4. What amount, if any, has been paid by the Government in connection with the Grand River conservation scheme. 5. What works have been completed to date under the Grand River conservation scheme, what remain to be completed and when is the scheme expected to be completed. 6. What is the estimated total cost of the scheme, what is the estimated share of the cost to each municipality which is a member and what is the estimated total cost to the Government.

90. “ 6.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Why was the property known as “Camp Scholfield” located near Bowmanville offered for sale by the Government. 2. What tenders, if any, were received by the Government for purchase of the property, specifying name of each tenderer and price tendered. 3. Has the property been sold and if so to whom and for what amount. 4. In the deed of gift of the property from the late H. C. Scholfield to the Government, were any conditions attached as to the use to be made of the property and as to proceeds of sale should the property be sold and, if so, what were the conditions. 5. What present summer camp facilities are used for the inmates of the Boys’ School at Bowmanville.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1941.

92. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Frost*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, memoranda, certificates and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official or employee of the Government in relation to one John Kluck who was a patient at the Ontario Hospital at Penetanguishene and who was arrested in the City of Toronto in the month of September, 1940, on a charge of murder.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

6. Mar. 7.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Macaulay.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

7. Feb. 19.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the amendment to the motion for the consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor at the opening of the Session. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).*
8. “ 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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11. “ 28.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 42), An Act to amend The Real Estate Brokers Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 43), An Act to amend The Conditional Sales Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
13. Mar. 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 44), An Act to amend The Costs of Distress Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 45), An Act respecting Bailiffs. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 46), An Act to amend The Companies Act. *Mr. Nixon (Brant).* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1941

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13. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **NOT PRINTED.**
14. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan.* **NOT PRINTED.**
15. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten.* **NOT PRINTED.**

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

16. Mar. 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **NOT PRINTED.**
17. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **NOT PRINTED.**
18. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 56), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **NOT PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
21. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.
22. “ 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many hogs were lost in 1940 at the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph as a result of hog cholera. 2. What was their value. 3. When was the outbreak of cholera detected and when was it brought under control.

23. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.
25. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What individuals or organizations recommended the founding of Ipperwash Park in the County of Lambton. 2. Who acted as valuator for the Government in the purchase of the land. 3. Aside from the purchase price of \$10,000 what amount has been spent on Ipperwash Park by way of: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 4. What improvements have been placed on the property by the Government. 5. What staff are employed at the Park, stating: (a) Name; (b) Date appointed; (c) Whether temporary, permanent or seasonal; (d) Salary or wage rates. 6. Who is the Superintendent of the Park, when was he appointed and what is his salary. 7. What Department of the Government is concerned with administering the affairs of the Park.
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36. Feb 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
37. “ 27.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Has the Hydro-Electric Power Commission purchased any power plants since 1937, and if so give particulars in each case as to: (a) Installed capacity; (b) Price paid; (c) Kilowatt hour capacity in normal year and normal capacity; (d) Date of construction; (e) Location; (f) Date of purchase.
42. “ 27.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated cost of the new development at Barrett Shute on the Madawaska River, exclusive of storage facilities. 2. What is the estimated cost of storage facilities. 3. What is the proposed installed horse-power of the plant. 4. What is the estimated maximum capacity of the plants at normal efficiency with spare equipment. State amount of latter. 5. What is the average annual horse-power capacity of plant in a normal year, utilizing the storage above named in (2). 6. What is the estimated annual load factor of plant utilizing the water available in a normal year in the most economical manner.
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23. “ 5.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégis*. **PRINTED.**

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

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11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor

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14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
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86. “ 6.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, including Chairman and specifying date of appointment and salary in each case. 2. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 3. What persons have been appointed to the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, specifying date of appointment, address at date of appointment and commencing salary together with official title. 4. What officials or employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board have been dismissed or requested to resign since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request for resignation in each case.
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of the scheme, what is the estimated share of the cost to each municipality which is a member and what is the estimated total cost to the Government.

90. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Why was the property known as “Camp Scholfield” located near Bowmanville offered for sale by the Government. 2. What tenders, if any, were received by the Government for purchase of the property, specifying name of each tenderer and price tendered. 3. Has the property been sold and if so to whom and for what amount. 4. In the deed of gift of the property from the late H. C. Scholfield to the Government, were any conditions attached as to the use to be made of the property and as to proceeds of sale should the property be sold and, if so, what were the conditions. 5. What present summer camp facilities are used for the inmates of the Boys’ School at Bowmanville.
91. “ 7.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have ceased to hold office, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of cessation of duties; (d) Rate of remuneration; (e) Indicating whether dismissed, requested to resign, resigning voluntarily, superannuated, deceased or as the case may be; (f) Reason for dismissals or requested resignations. 2. Since April 1st, 1935, how many Magistrates have been appointed by the Government, and indicate: (a) Name of Magistrate, address; (b) Jurisdiction; (c) Date of appointment; (d) Rate of remuneration.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
93. “ 10.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. During the fiscal year 1941, what quantities of sand have been bought by the Government up to December 31st, 1940, in connection with paving and other works incidental to completion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Burlington and Niagara Falls, specifying: (a) Quantity of sand purchased from each company, firm or individual; (b) Unit price with respect to each purchase and total amount paid to each company, firm or individual; (c) Indicating whether purchases were made by competitive tender; whether the lowest tender was accepted in each case and if not, giving complete list of tenders with reason why lowest tender was not accepted.

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PRIVATE BILLS

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5. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 1), An Act respecting the City of Ottawa. *Mr. Dunbar.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 2), An Act to incorporate the Society of Industrial and Cost Accountants of Ontario. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**
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8. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 13), An Act respecting Appleby School. *Mr. Blakelock.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1941

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This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

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23. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural
Representatives Act. *Mr. Dewan. PRINTED.*
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Act. *Mr. Brownridge. PRINTED.*

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
21. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939;

March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

28. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Government any information respecting an epidemic of hog cholera in the western part of the Province during the year 1940. 2. If so: (a) What measures were taken by the Government in the matters of localizing and checking the epidemic; (b) How many hogs were effected and destroyed; (c) What was the approximate value of the hogs destroyed; (d) Has any measure of compensation been granted by the Government to hog owners and, if so, give particulars.

36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
66. “ 28.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1935, what Cold Storage Warehouses, Co-operative or otherwise, have received assistance from the Province of Ontario by way of loans or grants. 2. Where are they located. 3. What is their capacity in each case. 4. What grants or loans were made to each by the Province. 5. What are the names of the Managers of the enterprises in each case. 6. In what cold storage plants or warehouses which have received provincial assistance by way of grant or loan is a locker system in use whereby individuals may store meats, vegetables, etc., in individual lockers or compartments.
68. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
71. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.

73. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
75. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
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MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS, QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS. *From eight o'clock p.m. for the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor

been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

21. “ 27.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total amount paid to date for lighting equipment in connection with the Queen Elizabeth Highway. 2. How many of the new monogrammed light standards have been installed. 3. What was the total cost of complete equipment and installation of these standards.

23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
68. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.

70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
71. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.
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79. “ 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many tourist booklets were purchased in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939 and 1940, and during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. From whom were the books purchased. 3. What was the unit price in each case and what was the total amount paid the vendor in each case. 4. Who supplied the photographs and what was the total amount paid to each person supplying photographs in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
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82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

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3. “ 10.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 56), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**

4. “ 11.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**

5. “ 12.—*Second Reading Bill* (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act. *Mr. Brownridge.* **PRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

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10. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse*. **NOT REPRINTED.**
11. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor. *Mr. Fletcher*. **NOT REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

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Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

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This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

12. " 21.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
13. " 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
14. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
15. " 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
16. " 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
17. " 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
18. " 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
19. " 11.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act." *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
20. " 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
21. " 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
22. " 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
23. " 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act." *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
24. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **NOT PRINTED.**
25. " 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **NOT PRINTED.**
26. " 12.—*House in Committee of Supply.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
27. " 12.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

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4. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox*. **PRINTED.**
5. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse*. **REPRINTED.**
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36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
51. “ 27.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Does the Province of Ontario receive any direct revenue by reason of the renovation of Old Fort Henry at Kingston and, if so, what amount has been received up to January 31st, 1941. 2. Have any amounts been spent in connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry over and above the sum of \$831,895.10 as reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 3. If so, what additional amounts have been so spent. 4. In connection with the rehabilitation of Old Fort Henry, have any amounts been paid to W. L. Somerville, Architect, over and above the sum of \$36,044.18 reported in the Votes and Proceedings of February 23rd, 1940. 5. If so, what additional amounts have been paid Mr. Somerville. 6. Has the work of rehabilitation been completed and if not, what is the estimated cost of completion. 7. Has the Province of Ontario assumed any responsibility as to the continuing maintenance of the

fort or of the roads built or used in connection with the rehabilitation programme, and, if so, give particulars. 8. Is the fort in whole or in part, open to tourists or visitors at the present time.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
68. “ 28.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What steps, if any, have been taken by the Government to ascertain the facts respecting the shooting of pheasants in East York Township and generally throughout the Don River valley and what measures, if any, have been taken looking to effectual game protection in this area.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
71. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total mileage of Provincial Highways in the organized counties that has been added since July 10th, 1934. 2. How many miles have been paved on such mileage since assumption into the Provincial System.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over

\$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

75. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
78. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each fiscal year since the present Government took office, and including the period from April 1st, 1940, to date, what amounts have been paid, and to whom, as Iron Ore Bounty. 2. In each case mentioned in (1), state the number of tons of ore on which bounty was paid and the mines from which such ore was produced.
79. “ 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many tourist booklets were purchased in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939 and 1940, and during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. From whom were the books

purchased. 3. What was the unit price in each case and what was the total amount paid the vendor in each case. 4. Who supplied the photographs and what was the total amount paid to each person supplying photographs in each of the periods mentioned in (1).

81. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
86. “ 6.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Workmen's Compensation Board, including Chairman and specifying date of appointment and salary in each case. 2. How many persons are employed by the Workmen's Compensation Board at date. 3. What persons have been appointed to the staff of the Workmen's Compensation Board since April 1st, 1938, specifying date of appointment, address at date of appointment and commencing salary together with official title. 4. What officials or employees of the Workmen's Compensation Board have been dismissed or requested to resign since April 1st, 1938, giving official title, salary and reason for dismissal or request for resignation in each case.
87. “ 6.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since August 31st, 1934, what is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds bought in by the Government. 2. What is the total amount of Succession Duty free bonds still outstanding, giving details as to the various issues.
89. “ 6.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Grand River Conservation Commission as provided by Chapter 15, Statutes of Ontario, 2 George VI, 1938, and when was each appointed and by whom. 2. Who are the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman and the Secretary-Treasurer of the Commission. 3. What are the names and addresses of the Board of Engineers and who is the Chairman. 4. What amount,

if any, has been paid by the Government in connection with the Grand River conservation scheme. 5. What works have been completed to date under the Grand River conservation scheme, what remain to be completed and when is the scheme expected to be completed. 6. What is the estimated total cost of the scheme, what is the estimated share of the cost to each municipality which is a member and what is the estimated total cost to the Government.

92. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
93. “ 10.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. During the fiscal year 1941, what quantities of sand have been bought by the Government up to December 31st, 1940, in connection with paving and other works incidental to completion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Burlington and Niagara Falls, specifying; (a) Quantity of sand purchased from each company, firm or individual; (b) Unit price with respect to each purchase and total amount paid to each company, firm or individual; (c) Indicating whether purchases were made by competitive tender; whether the lowest tender was accepted in each case and if not, giving complete list of tenders with reason why lowest tender was not accepted.
94. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are power users not given in their power contracts the exact voltage, to guide them in purchasing transformers, the Commission having in the contracts a clause “allowing for 10% more or less”—this leeway often causing great loss to power users. If such conditions exist, give reasons.
95. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is it the policy of the Ontario Hydro Power Commission to require of persons, desiring the use of hydro in Northern Ontario, to make large deposits of cash (refusing to accept bonding companies' bonds) before the Commission will extend power service, while a competitive company in the same area does not demand cash guarantees. If so, why.
96. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the ministry any knowledge of cessation of mining activity in and about Kirkland Lake, and if so, what are the reasons.

97. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.
98. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of lighting system is installed on the Kingston Road east of Toronto. 2. When was this system put into operation. 3. Since the system was put in operation what have been the maintenance costs in each fiscal year including current, replacement of bulbs, repairs and all other items.
99. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased; what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.
100. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are any Issuers of Automobile Licenses acting as Insurance Agents. 2. If so, give names and addresses.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

102. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of paving, if any, has been done on the new four-lane highway between Highland Creek and Oshawa. 2. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1), what mileage of paving remains to be done. 3. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1): (a) What mileage of grading has been completed; (b) What mileage of grading remains to be done.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

7. Mar. 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 51), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 52), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 56), An Act to amend The Weed Control Act. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 11.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 12.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act. *Mr. Brownridge.* **PRINTED.**

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12. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
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No. 19

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

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No. 20

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 19TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Feb. 21.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 37), An Act to amend The Judicature Act. Mr. Conant. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

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GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 20TH, 1941

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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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23. Mar. 19.—19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **NOT REPRINTED.**
24. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **NOT REPRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the

Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.

73. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
75. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940,

to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

92. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
94. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Are power users not given in their power contracts the exact voltage, to guide them in purchasing transformers, the Commission having in the contracts a clause “allowing for 10% more or less”—this leeway often causing great loss to power users. If such conditions exist, give reasons.
95. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is it the policy of the Ontario Hydro Power Commission to require of persons, desiring the use of hydro in Northern Ontario, to make large deposits of cash (refusing to accept bonding companies' bonds) before the Commission will extend power service, while a competitive company in the same area does not demand cash guarantees. If so, why.
97. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.
98. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of lighting system is installed on the Kingston Road east of Toronto. 2. When was this system put into operation. 3. Since the system was put in operation what have been the maintenance costs in each fiscal year including current, replacement of bulbs, repairs and all other items.

99. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.
102. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of paving, if any, has been done on the new four-lane highway between Highland Creek and Oshawa. 2. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1), what mileage of paving remains to be done. 3. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1): (a) What mileage of grading has been completed; (b) What mileage of grading remains to be done.
103. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Walter Woodward still Assistant Inspector under the Woodmen's Employment Act; if not, what is his present position. 2. What is his present salary.
104. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

105. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.
107. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Commission and when was each appointed. 2. What is their rate of salary or other remuneration. 3. What other positions, if any, are held by the Commissioners with the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway or with the Ontario Government and state salaries or other remuneration in connection therewith.
108. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is Mr. Wishart Campbell employed in the Ontario Public Service. 2. If so, in what capacity. 3. When was he appointed. 4. What is his salary. 5. Does he give full time to his duties in the public service.
109. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. As of January 1st, 1935, and January 1st, 1941, how many authorities issued by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were in effect in the following categories in relation to the sale of beer and wine: (a) Standard hotels; (b) Social clubs; (c) Soldier and labour clubs; (d) Military messes; (e) Railways; (f) Steamships. 2. How many hotels in the Province on the dates mentioned in (1) had standard hotel licenses but without authority to sell beer or wine.
110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

111. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.
112. " 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.
113. " 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?
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PRIVATE BILLS

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25. Mar. 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London. *Mr. Duncan.* **PRINTED.**
26. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall. *Mr. McEwing.* **PRINTED.**
27. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
28. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
29. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
30. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph. *Mr. Drew.* **PRINTED.**
31. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
32. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**
33. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia. *Mr. Frost.* **NOT REPRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 21st, 1941

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving

the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been

made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
75. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.

76. Mar. 5. 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt

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97. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.
98. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many miles of lighting system is installed on the Kingston Road east of Toronto. 2. When was this system put into operation. 3. Since the system was put in operation what have been the maintenance costs in each fiscal year including current, replacement of bulbs, repairs and all other items.
99. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

102. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of paving, if any, has been done on the new four-lane highway between Highland Creek and Oshawa. 2. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1), what mileage of paving remains to be done. 3. With respect to the section of highway mentioned in (1): (a) What mileage of grading has been completed; (b) What mileage of grading remains to be done.
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106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.
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was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.

123. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
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125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
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127. “ 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).

128. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What authorities for the sale of liquor are in force in the Town of Wallaceburg and state: (a) Name of hotel, club or as the case may be; (b) Name of authority holder; (c) Date authority originally granted.
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
130. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

1. Mar. 19.—19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
2. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

3. Mar. 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London. *Mr. Duncan.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall. *Mr. McEwing.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
7. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph. *Mr. Drew.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 18.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 18.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia. *Mr. Frost.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
12. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
13. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury. *Mr. Cooper.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

1. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. “ 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

4. Mar. 18.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will on next, resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved,

- (a) That payment of \$500,000.00 out of the Highway Improvement Fund to The Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario for the credit of the account of the railway from the City of Toronto to the Village of Port Credit, and the railway from the Village of Port Credit to the City of St. Catharines which were authorized and undertaken under the Hydro-Electric Railway Act, 1914, on the books of the Commission as a consideration for the transfer by the Commission to His Majesty, represented by the Minister of Highways for Ontario, of the lands described in Schedule "A" to Bill No. 71, "An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Railways", be validated and confirmed; and
- (b) That the liabilities of the said railways outstanding after the reductions indicated in the said Bill and amounting to \$1,246,622.82 as of the 31st day of March, 1941, be assumed by the Province and be paid by the Treasurer of Ontario to the Commission out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

14. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
15. Feb. 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**

16. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
18. “ 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.” *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act.” *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
23. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
24. “ 13.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **PRINTED.**
25. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 67), An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **PRINTED.**
26. “ 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
27. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
28. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
29. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
30. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
31. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**

32. Mar. 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend the Natural Gas Conservation Act. *Mr. Laurier*. **PRINTED.**
33. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
34. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
35. “ 12.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
36. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1941

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THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Mar. 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.
Mr. Duncan. **PRINTED.**
2. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall. *Mr. McEwing.* **PRINTED.**

3. Mar. 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
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PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

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15. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury. *Mr. Cooper.* **PRINTED.**
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17. Mar. 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each

of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria

over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

75. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

92. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
97. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.
99. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

104. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.
105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.
109. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. As of January 1st, 1935, and January 1st, 1941, how many authorities issued by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were in effect in the following categories in relation to the sale of beer and wine: (a) Standard hotels; (b) Social clubs; (c) Soldier and labour clubs; (d) Military messes; (e) Railways; (f) Steamships. 2. How many hotels in the Province on the dates mentioned in (1) had standard hotel licenses but without authority to sell beer or wine.
110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.
111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries

and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

112. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.

113. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?

114. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What

was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

116. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

117. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).

118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government

have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

119. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many members of the Civil Service of Ontario are over the age of 70, specifying: (a) Number drawing superannuation; (b) Number continuing to draw salary but not superannuation.
121. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Under what terms was the Toronto Gaol Farm for Women taken over by the Province of Ontario from the City of Toronto and when. 2. What has been the cost to the Government as to operating the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Women as a mental hospital since opening as such giving amounts for each fiscal year and specifying: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 3. State average number of patients in residence for each fiscal year since opening and number in residence December 31st, 1940. 4. State average number of staff for each fiscal year since opening and total staff as of December 31st, 1940.
122. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 1. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.
123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
124. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying:

(a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

127. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40; divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).

128. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What authorities for the sale of liquor are in force in the Town of Wallaceburg and state: (a) Name of hotel, club or as the case may be; (b) Name of authority holder; (c) Date authority originally granted.

129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

130. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.

131. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
132. “ 20.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.
133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.
134. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.
135. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.
136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date,

giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.

137. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Maccaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

138. “ 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1941.

2. Mar. 21.—*Mr. Macaulay*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, correspondence, memoranda, estimates, recommendations, rulings, directions, tenders, orders and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official, or employee, of the Government, respecting the installation of a lighting system on any part of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, and including documents relating to purchase of material and contracts relating to the installation.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

18. Mar. 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
19. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

20. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
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36. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
37. “ 12.—*House in Committee of Supply.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
38. “ 12.—*House in Committee* on Ways and Means. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, MARCH 25TH, 1941

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Mar. 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 3), An Act respecting The London Street Railway Company and the Corporation of the City of London.
Mr. Duncan. **PRINTED.**
2. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 4), An Act respecting the Rockwood Town Hall. *Mr. McEwing.* **PRINTED.**

3. Mar. 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 6), An Act respecting the City of Port Arthur and the Public Utilities Commission of Port Arthur. *Mr. Cox.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 8), An Act respecting the Village of Swansea. *Mr. Gardhouse.* **REPRINTED.**
5. “ 18.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 15), An Act respecting the Daughters of the Empire Preventorium. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
6. “ 18.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 17), An Act respecting St. George's Church, Guelph. *Mr. Drew.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 18.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 18), An Act respecting the Peter Birtwistle Estate Settlement. *Mr. Strachan.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 60), An Act to amend The Northern Development Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 62), An Act to amend The Agricultural Representatives Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 63), An Act to amend The Milk and Cream Act.” *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 12.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 59), An Act respecting British Child Guests. *Mr. Hipel.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 13.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 64), An Act to amend The Mining Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **PRINTED.**
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5. “ 24.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

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- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and
- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.
36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
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tract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.

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72. " 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. " 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
75. " 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Representative of the Government on the Toronto and York Roads Commission. 2. Who was the former Representative. 3. When was he replaced.
76. " 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

77. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
97. “ 11.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names of individual proprietors, names in partnerships, directors and shareholders of corporations having beverage room authorities as of January 1st, 1941, for the City of Toronto and also for the County of York, giving transfers since that date. 2. Does the Liquor Commission impose regulations that require authority holders to reveal whether they are sole proprietors and if not, give names of persons associated.

99. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What portion of Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls is being provided with an illuminating system; state mileage. 2. To date, what portion has been provided with a lighting system and on what portion does the work remain to be completed. 3. What has been spent on the lighting system to date and what is estimated cost of completing the work on that portion of the highway for which the illumination programme has been adopted. 4. What is the per light cost of the installation. 5. From whom were the following items purchased, what were unit prices and what was total amount paid each firm, company or individual, stating when each order was placed: (a) Poles; (b) Lighting fixtures, including lamps; (c) Wiring. 6. Who made or is to make the installation and under what terms. 7. What is the estimated annual maintenance cost in the section included, specifying: (a) Power costs; (b) All other maintenance charges.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.
104. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.
105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.

109. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. As of January 1st, 1935, and January 1st, 1941, how many authorities issued by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario were in effect in the following categories in relation to the sale of beer and wine: (a) Standard hotels; (b) Social clubs; (c) Soldier and labour clubs; (d) Military messes; (e) Railways; (f) Steamships. 2. How many hotels in the Province on the dates mentioned in (1) had standard hotel licenses but without authority to sell beer or wine.
110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.
111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.
112. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.
113. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of

compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?

114. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

116. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name

of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

117. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).
118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.
119. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many members of the Civil Service of Ontario are over the age of 70, specifying: (a) Number drawing superannuation; (b) Number continuing to draw salary but not superannuation.
121. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Under what terms was the Toronto Gaol Farm for Women taken over by the Province of Ontario from the City of Toronto and when. 2. What has been the cost to the Government as to operating the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Women as a mental hospital since opening as such giving amounts for each fiscal year and specifying: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 3. State average number of patients in residence for each fiscal year since opening and number in residence December 31st, 1940. 4. State average number of staff for each fiscal year since opening and total staff as of December 31st, 1940.

122. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 1. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.
123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
124. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
127. “ 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).
128. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What authorities for the sale of liquor are in force in the Town of Wallaceburg and state: (a) Name of hotel, club or as the case may be; (b) Name of authority holder; (c) Date authority originally granted.

129. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
130. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
132. “ 20.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.
133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.
134. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside

maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseedling and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.

135. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.

136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.

137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

138. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
139. “ 21.—*Mr. Carr*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1941.

2. Mar. 21.—*Mr. Macaulay*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, correspondence, memoranda, estimates, recommendations, rulings, directions, tenders, orders and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official, or employee, of the Government, respecting the installation of a lighting system on any part of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, and including documents relating to purchase of material and contracts relating to the installation.

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

35. Mar. 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
36. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury. *Mr. Cooper*. **PRINTED.**
37. Feb. 27.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the Motion for the Second Reading Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia. *Mr. Frost*. **REPRINTED.**
38. Mar. 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin*. **PRINTED.**

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of

appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

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60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

77. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
101. “ 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the

Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements.

3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.

104. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.

110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied

products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

112. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the auditors for the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. What remuneration have they received from the Government or the Liquor Control Board in each of the fiscal years from 1935 to 1940, inclusive.

113. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?

114. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control

Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.
116. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
117. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).
118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the

total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

121. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Under what terms was the Toronto Gaol Farm for Women taken over by the Province of Ontario from the City of Toronto and when. 2. What has been the cost to the Government as to operating the former Toronto Gaol Farm for Women as a mental hospital since opening as such giving amounts for each fiscal year and specifying: (a) Capital expenditure; (b) Ordinary expenditure. 3. State average number of patients in residence for each fiscal year since opening and number in residence December 31st, 1940. 4. State average number of staff for each fiscal year since opening and total staff as of December 31st, 1940.
122. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 1. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.
123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
124. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to Decem-

ber 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established.
6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

127. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
130. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who is the Chief Commissioner of the Liquor Control Board of Ontario. 2. When was he appointed. 3. What is his salary.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
132. “ 20.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.

133. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.
134. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.
135. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.
136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.
137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other

agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

138. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

139. “ 21.—*Mr. Carr*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.

NOTICE OF MOTION

1941.

2. Mar. 21.—*Mr. Macaulay*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all letters, correspondence, memoranda, estimates, recommendations, rulings, directions, tenders, orders and documents of whatsoever nature in the possession of the Government or of any member, official, or employee, of the Government, respecting the installation of a lighting system on any part of the Queen Elizabeth Way between Hamilton and Niagara Falls, and including documents relating to purchase of material and contracts relating to the installation.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

1. Mar. 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
2. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

3. Mar. 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 11), An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
4. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury. *Mr. Cooper.* **PRINTED.**
5. Feb. 27.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the Motion for the Second Reading Bill (No. 5), An Act respecting the Town of Orillia. *Mr. Frost.* **REPRINTED.**
6. Mar. 5.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**
7. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of Ontario I.O.O.F. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

1. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;

- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on..... next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

5. “ 24.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;

(b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and

(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

9. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
10. Feb. 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
11. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
12. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
13. “ 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.” *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
16. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
17. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend the Natural Gas Conservation Act. *Mr. Laurier*. **PRINTED.**
18. “ 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
19. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**

20. Mar. 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
21. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
22. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
23. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
24. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario). *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
25. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
26. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **NOT PRINTED.**
27. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **NOT PRINTED.**
28. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **NOT PRINTED.**
29. “ 12.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
30. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

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TORONTO, THURSDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1941

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

1. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;

- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. “ 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

5. “ 24.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;

(b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and

(c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

1. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
2. Feb. 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
3. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
4. " 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
5. " 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act." *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
6. " 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
7. " 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
8. " 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
9. " 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend the Natural Gas Conservation Act. *Mr. Laurier*. **PRINTED.**
10. " 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
11. " 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewar*. **PRINTED.**

12. Mar. 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
13. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
16. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario). *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
17. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
18. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**
19. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**
20. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
21. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 78), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **NOT PRINTED.**
22. “ 12.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
23. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

24. Mar. 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
25. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
26. “ 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Macaulay*. **NOT REPRINTED.**
27. “ 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act. *Mr. Brownridge*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
23. “ 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each

of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

36. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.
56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
60. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total amount paid for the advertisement appearing in papers throughout Ontario under the heading “These are the Facts.” 2. Who prepared this advertisement. 3. Who gave instructions for its publication. 4. Were arrangements for its publication made direct or through an advertising agency. 5. If through an advertising agency, what was the name of the agency.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
72. “ 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.

76. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which con-

solidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.

101. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to bus lines operating on King's Highways, are any measures taken by the Government to see that proper bus accommodation is provided for passengers; if so, what is the nature of the measures taken. 2. Are there any rules or regulations of the Government to require that proper seating accommodation is provided for passengers and if so what are the requirements. 3. Are there any rules or regulations on the part of the Government to prevent the aisles in busses operating on the King's Highways being crowded by standing passengers; if so, what are the requirements and what measures are taken to enforce them.
104. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.
105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
106. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gold production of Ontario in each year from 1930 to 1940: (a) In ounces; (b) In dollars. (State closing date for year; value per ounce used in conversion to dollars.) 2. Give the same data as requested in (1) as to: (a) Silver; (b) Platinum.
110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last

complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

111. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

113. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For what period has Miss Olive Speers of the City of Toronto been in receipt of compensation from the Workmen's Compensation Board and state rate and total amount of compensation paid Miss Speers during this period. 2. Give the names, addresses and amounts paid to each of the physicians in attendance on Miss Speers and indicate the date when services of each physician terminated in the case. 3. Is Miss Speers still receiving compensation and if not, give date when compensation discontinued, stating reason. 4. Was Miss Speers placed in residence in the King Edward Hotel by the Board; if so, indicate the period during which Miss Speers remained at the hotel; the amount paid by the Board for her maintenance therein and what amount remains to be paid and whether she still remains at the hotel by the Board's order or permission. 5. Did the Workmen's Compensation Board pay ambulance transportation for Miss Speers from St. Joseph's Hospital to the King Edward Hotel?

114. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied

products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

116. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many dentists are employed in institutions within the jurisdiction of the Department of the Provincial Secretary, and state: (a) Name of dentist and date of appointment; (b) Name of institution in each case; (c) Whether appointment part time or full time; (d) Salary, or if part time, basis of remuneration; (e) Amount paid each dentist in the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, and also during the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

117. “ 18.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the name, address and date of appointment of each member of the Ontario Board of Parole. 2. What amount has been paid to each member of the Ontario Board of Parole for the fiscal years 1938, 1939, and 1940 as (a) per diem allowance and (b) travelling and living expenses. 3. What is the rate of per diem allowance. 4. During the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 what members of the Ontario Board of Parole received honoraria for special services and what amount was paid to each of such members in each of the fiscal years mentioned. 5. What was the nature of the special services performed during the fiscal years 1938, 1939 and 1940 by members of the Ontario Board of Parole and who ordered or requested that such special services be performed. 6. What was the legislative authority for the honoraria mentioned in (4).

118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the

Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

122. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been collected by way of Provincial Land Tax in each fiscal year since the tax was imposed. 1. What arrears were outstanding as of December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of tax was in dispute as of December 31st, 1940. 4. What companies, firms or individuals claim that their respective holdings are not liable for this tax and what is the amount claimed by the Province in each case. 5. Has legal action been initiated by the Province to settle the matter referred to in (4) and if so, against whom, when, and in what amounts; if not, why not.
123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
124. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many mining claims were (a) staked, (b) leased, (c) patented, in each fiscal year, 1930 to 1940, inclusive, and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940. 2. How many Miners' Licenses were issued in each of the periods mentioned in (1).
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

127. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total peak power sold on the Niagara System inclusive of power used for steam production, export power contractual obligations and peak demand for the months of January, November and December for the years 1939-40, divided into (a) Primary and secondary power; (b) List of companies securing secondary power and amount in each case, as indicated in (a).
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
132. “ 20.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—Is teak wood being used in any of the executive offices in the new Hydro building, University Avenue, Toronto. If so: (a) In what offices; (b) Estimated cost; (c) From whom purchased.
133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.

134. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost per mile to the Government in each of the fiscal years ending March 31st, 1939, and March 31st, 1940, for roadside maintenance on King's Highways including the cutting of grass, hay and weeds, removing leaves, papers and other debris, reseeding and replanting, trimming of trees, shrubs, etc.
135. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.
136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.
137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the

structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1941

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

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36. “ 27.—*Mr. Reynolds*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Rural Power Districts under the jurisdiction of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission has: (a) Deficits; (b) Surpluses; for the years 1935-40 inclusive, with total amounts in each case for each year, after provision was made for depreciation and sinking fund charges. 2. What changes, if any, have been made in reserve provisions: (a) Depreciation; (b) Sinking Fund; (c) Contingencies; for Rural Power Districts since October 31st, 1939.

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76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
77. “ 3.—*Mr. Murphy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total cost of the shrubs, trees and rose bushes planted on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, and specify: (a) Unit cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (b) Total cost with respect to each type of shrub, tree and rose bush; (c) Name of each vendor and total amount paid each vendor and stating address in each case. 2. What was

the total amount of labour costs, trucking costs and all other items incidental to planting. 3. What was the total cost of sodding operations on the Queen Elizabeth Way from Toronto to Hamilton, indicating: (a) Unit prices; (b) Total cost of sod; (c) From whom purchased, address; (d) Labour costs; (e) Trucking and all other incidental costs.

81. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
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by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.

110. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.

111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

114. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What

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115. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

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125. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

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15. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins. *Mr. Habel.* **NOT REPRINTED.**
16. “ 27.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting the Royal Botanical Gardens. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

1. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

5. “ 24.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;
- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and

- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

17. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
18. Feb. 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
19. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
20. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
21. “ 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.” *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
22. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
23. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 71), An Act respecting Relief to Municipalities regarding Hydro-Electric Radials. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
24. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
25. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 70), An Act to amend the Natural Gas Conservation Act. *Mr. Laurier*. **PRINTED.**
26. “ 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
27. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**
28. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**

29. Mar. 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
30. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
31. “ 20.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
32. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario). *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
33. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
34. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
35. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
36. “ 25.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
37. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 78), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **NOT PRINTED.**
38. “ 12.—*House in Committee of Supply.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
39. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, MARCH 31ST, 1941

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QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

11. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Did F. A. O'Connor, Director of Purchasing in the Department of Health, resign voluntarily, was he requested to resign or was he dismissed. 2. If he was requested to resign or dismissed why was such action taken. 3. What was his salary at the time of leaving the service. 4. Was he given any consideration by way of superannuation or leave of absence with salary when leaving the service and if so, state particulars. 5. Has a successor been appointed and if so, state name, official title, date of appointment and what persons recommended his appointment to the Minister of Health or to any other member of the Government. 6. If no successor has been appointed who is carrying on the work formerly done by Mr. F. A. O'Connor.
14. “ 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to

Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

23. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.

70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

72. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Henry*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the mileage of the Queen Elizabeth Highway from the West limits of the City of Toronto to the North limits of the City of Niagara Falls. 2. What is the total expenditure since July 10th, 1934, to date on such Highway.
73. “ 3.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and salaries of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission now receiving salaries of over \$5,000 per year—what increases with amounts have each been paid since January, 1936. 2. What are the names of all employees and members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission who have received any fees, retainers or honoraria over and above their regular hydro salaries from any source whatever for engineering or economic services or advice—stating names of firms and persons paying, with amount each received each year since July, 1934.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the

present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.

104. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.
105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
110. “ 18.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many acres of mining lands are there in Ontario: (a) Under lease; (b) Staked but not patented. 2. How many acres of mining lands are patented. 3. What is the annual acreage tax with respect to the lands mentioned in (1) and (2). 4. During the last complete fiscal year (specifying), what was the gross amount received in provincial taxation from: (a) Leased mining lands; (b) Patented mining lands; (c) Staked but unpatented mining lands. 5. What are the arrearages at close of last fiscal year respecting the items mentioned in (4). 6. During the last complete fiscal year, how many (a) leases, (b) stakings and (c) patents were cancelled for non-payment of taxes and also for failure to perform work.
111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding author-

ities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

114. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.
115. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.
118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by

other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

123. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.

125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

131. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.
135. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts have been collected by the Government in each fiscal year from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, by way of Gasoline Tax. 2. What purchasers or classes of purchasers are by Regulation under The Gasoline Tax Act entitled to refunds of Gasoline Tax paid to the Government. 3. What refunds of Gasoline Tax have been made to each class of purchaser in each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940. 4. Since April 1st, 1935, how many prosecutions have been made under the provisions of The Gasoline Tax Act, how many convictions have been secured and what is the total amount imposed in fines as the result of such prosecutions also specifying in how many cases imprisonment has been imposed. 5. In each of the fiscal years from April 1st, 1935, to March 31st, 1940, what amounts have been paid or allowed as fees, commissions or other remuneration for collecting Gasoline Tax.
136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction. 2. What extensions of contracts have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of extension; (b) Date of original contract referred to by extension; (c) Name of contractor; (d) Amount paid; (e) If no separate quantities kept under (d) give amount paid under contract and extension combined; (f) Location of work; (g) Mileage or length of construction.

137. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.
138. “ 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
139. “ 21.—*Mr. Carr*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the estimated forest area in Ontario burnt over in each of the calendar years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933, stating as to each year the number of acres as to Forest Districts. 2. What are the estimated total quantities of timber and pulpwood destroyed and the estimated value thereof or alternately, if quantities and values destroyed are not known, state quantities of timber and pulpwood estimated to be on the burnt areas and give value thereof, stating basis for calculation as to value.
140. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.
141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary

Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

142. Mar. 25.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Prince Edward-Lennox)—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions were granted in each of the Counties of Prince Edward, Hastings, Northumberland and Lennox and Addington in each of the years 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, and the amounts thereof. 2. How many Mothers' Allowances were granted in each of the foregoing counties in each of the aforesaid years and the amount thereof.
144. “ 26.—*Mr. Habel*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amounts of money were paid to each Minister of the Government for travelling expenses from January 1st, 1930, to July 12th, 1934. 2. What Ministers of the Government had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use during this period and what was the total cost for operating each car, including wages, uniforms and expenses of chauffeur. 3. (a) What Ministers of the Government have had automobiles and chauffeurs provided for their use since July 12th, 1934; (b) What was the cost of same.
145. “ 27.—*Mr. Freeborn*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who have been members of the Liquor Control Board since its inception. 2. What were the salaries of the different members.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

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3. Mar. 26.—*Mr. Elgie*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.
4. “ 27.—*Mr. Drew*—That the proposed St. Lawrence development and other public undertakings throughout the Province create an urgent demand for effective planning and supervision of remodelling, re-establishment, reclamation and reconstruction, which in the opinion of this Legislature calls for the immediate creation of an Ontario Town and Country Planning Commission with authority to recommend and supervise plans for reconstruction, reclamation, and development in the rural and urban areas throughout the Province of Ontario wherever deemed necessary and advisable.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

13. Mar. 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
14. “ 19.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 57), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
15. “ 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 50), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Macaulay.* **REPRINTED.**
16. “ 26.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 61), An Act to amend The Railway Act. *Mr. Brownridge.* **PRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

1. Mar. 11.—*Mr. Dewan*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That during such periods as the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may prescribe, a subsidy shall be payable out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—

- (a) to every person who produces milk in Ontario which is subsequently produced into cheese, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding two cents for each pound of cheese produced from such milk;
- (b) to every person who produces hogs in Ontario and sells them through regular trade channels to be processed, of an amount, to be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, not exceeding \$1 for each hog so produced, sold and processed.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on.....next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

5. Mar. 24.—*Mr. Conant*—That this House will, on next, resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That the provisions of subsection 2 of section 6 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1940, be amended so as to provide that,—

- (a) every incorporated company upon which taxes are imposed by sections 3 to 9 of The Corporations Tax Amendment Act, 1939, shall for the fiscal year of such incorporated company ending in 1942 pay a further tax equal to twenty-five per centum of the taxes imposed upon such incorporated company thereby;
- (b) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by subsection 1 of section 14 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income of the incorporated company for the fiscal year ending in 1942, and
- (c) the tax imposed upon an incorporated company by section 15 of The Corporations Tax Act, 1939, shall be at the rate of five per centum calculated upon the net income as therein defined for the fiscal year ending in 1942.

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17. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
18. Feb. 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 32), An Act to amend The Devolution of Estates Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
19. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 49), An Act respecting Business Brokers. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
20. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
21. “ 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.” *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
22. “ 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 48), An Act to confirm Tax Sales. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
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26. “ 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 75), An Act to amend The Bees Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**
27. “ 25.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
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36. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
37. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 78), An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
38. “ 28.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 1st, 1941

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ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Mar. 25.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 14), An Act respecting Certain Lodges of Ontario I.O.O.F. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**
2. “ 25.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 23), An Act respecting the County of Waterloo and the Cities of Kitchener and Galt. *Mr. Smith.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 24), An Act respecting the Royal Botanical Gardens. *Mr. Newlands.* **PRINTED.**
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8. “ 20.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 21), An Act respecting the City of Sudbury. *Mr. Cooper.* **PRINTED.**
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QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total

amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract.
 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars.
 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

23. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the total number of persons employed in the Civil Service of Ontario, excluding outside boards and commissions and the Liquor Control Board: (a) on the Permanent Staff; (b) on the Temporary Staff; on the following dates, viz.:—July 11th, 1934; October 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1935; March 31st, 1936; March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938; March 31st, 1939; March 31st, 1940; December 31st, 1940. 2. How many persons were contributors to the Ontario Public Service Superannuation Fund on each of the dates mentioned in (1), and indicating in each instance the number of contributors who were employees of the Liquor Control Board. 3. On each of the dates mentioned in (1), how many retired Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances. 4. On each of the dates mentioned in (1) how many (a) widows and (b) other dependents of deceased Civil Servants were in receipt of Superannuation allowances.

56. “ 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.

70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.

81. Mar. 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.
92. “ 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.
105. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount has been paid by the Government to each member of the Cabinet by way of travelling expenses: (a) In the month of March, 1936; (b) In each fiscal year from 1937 to 1940, inclusive; (c) In the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940.
111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to

in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

114. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. “ 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto

or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

123. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

131. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.
136. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction.
137. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.
138. “ 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total

amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

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141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2ND, 1941

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MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m.* For the first hour, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in

(1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
82. “ 6.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, how many permits for the purchase of liquor were issued in the following categories and what revenue accrued in each case, viz.: (a) Individual Annual

Liquor Permits; (b) Individual Beer and Wine Permits; (c) Single Permits (25 cents); (d) Individual Non-Resident Permits (1 month); (e) Special permits to druggists; (f) Permits of any other type. 2. On what date was the Single Purchase Permit placed in use. 3. When was the issue of Beer and Wine Permits discontinued.

92. Mar. 10.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using the nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 2. What is the gross debt of the Municipalities in the Province of Ontario at the present time, using the latest date for which consolidated figures are available. 3. What was the gross debt of the Province of Ontario when the present Government took office, using nearest date for which consolidated figures are available. 4. What is the gross debt of the Province of Ontario at the present time, using latest date for which consolidated figures are available.

111. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937, March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the 10 months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer or beer and wine, (b) What was the wholesale price to authority holders of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a); (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

114. “ 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied

products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

115. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What payments have been made by the Federal Government to the Province in each fiscal year from 1930 to 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941, for (a) Aid with respect to direct relief; (b) Aid with respect to relief works. 2. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what is the total amount of payments made by the Province to municipalities for: (a) Direct relief; (b) Aid in respect of relief works. 3. For each of the periods mentioned in (1), what expenditure has been made by the Province in respect to relief in territory without municipal organization specifying: (a) Amounts paid for direct relief; (b) Amounts paid in respect to relief works.

118. “ 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.

123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.

125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3.

What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.

129. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

133. “ 20.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of erecting the monument at or near the Humber Bay entrance to the Queen Elizabeth Way. 2. What contracts were let by the Government respecting this monument, specifying: (a) Name of each contractor doing work or furnishing material; (b) Amount of each contract. 3. Who designed the monument and what was the total amount paid or to be paid him for design and supervision. 4. What amounts remain to be paid respecting this monument and to whom.

136. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts for the grading, construction or improvement of highways or bridges have been let by the Department of Highways without advertisement for tenders since April 27th, 1939, to date, giving: (a) Date of contract; (b) Name of contractor; (c) Amount paid; (d) Location of work; (e) Mileage or length of construction.
137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.
138. “ 20.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts were awarded in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 to the following companies, namely: Dufferin Paving and Crushed Stone, Limited; Dufferin Construction Company, Limited; National Paving Company, Limited; Construction and Paving Company of Ontario, Limited; Quebec Paving Company, Limited; A. Cope & Sons, Limited; instancing in each case: (a) Details as to service or work performed and materials supplied, with unit prices in each case and specifying total amount paid to each company with respect to each contract; (b) Any extensions of contracts, giving full particulars in the case of each such extension. 2. What was the total amount paid to each of the aforementioned companies in each of the fiscal years 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941. 3. Were the contracts and extensions of contracts awarded on a tender basis and was the lowest tender in each case accepted, if not, specify. 4. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
140. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.
141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications:

Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

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148. “ 31.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. If the Employment Office at 70 Lombard Street, Toronto, has been or is presently to be closed, what disposition has been or is proposed to be made of the premises, stating particulars.
149. “ 31.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.
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151. Mar. 31.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What qualifications are required by the Department of Education for Inspector of Secondary Schools. 2. Has Mr. Andre Lemieux such qualifications. 3. Who has been appointed to assume the duties formerly discharged by Mr. Woodley. Has more than one person been appointed to assume his duties.

152. “ 31.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of Ontario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill, capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. Which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills. giving default date and particulars of default in each case.

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5. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Challies*—That a Return be laid before this House showing:—
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GOVERNMENT ORDERS

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7. Mar. 14.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion*, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that the House resolve itself into the Committee of Supply. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
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5. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
6. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**

7. Mar. 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario). *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
8. “ 28.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act. *Mr. Houck.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
10. “ 25.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the Motion for Second Reading of Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
11. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
12. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
13. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
14. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
15. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
16. “ 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Division Courts Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
17. “ 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 81), An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act. *Mr. Hepburn (Elgin).* **PRINTED.**
18. Apr. 1.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 1.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 83), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Public Service Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 86), An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **PRINTED.**

23. Apr. 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
24. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Surveys Act. *Mr. Heenan*. **PRINTED.**
25. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
26. Mar. 12.—*House in Committee of Supply*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
27. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means*. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

28. Apr. 2.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

14. Feb. 20.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance of Highway No. 11 from North Bay to Cochrane. 2. What is the cost from November 1st, 1934, to December 31st, 1940, of construction and maintenance on the highway from Porquis Junction to Timmins. 3. What amounts have been spent for construction, maintenance and all other charges with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) during the period of three years ended December 31st, 1940. 4. How many miles of the highways mentioned in (1) and (2) have been paved, and what was the average paving cost per mile. 5. In the fiscal years 1939, 1940 and 1941 what contracts have been let with respect to the highways mentioned in (1) and (2), giving in each case name of contractor, description of work awarded, unit prices and total amount paid each contractor with respect to each contract. 6. Were any extensions granted or extras allowed with respect to the contracts mentioned in (5) and if so, give particulars. 7. Were any contracts let on a cost plus basis and if so, give particulars.
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118. Mar. 18.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What amount remains to be paid by the Province and to whom on account of the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, giving particulars as to each payment still to be made. 2. Since the present Government took office, what departments of the Government have exhibited in this building in each year of the Canadian National Exhibition. 3. Has any revenue accrued to the Government by reason of space in this building being used by other exhibitors and if so, give particulars. 4. What was the total amount to be paid by the Province to the City of Toronto or to the Canadian National Exhibition in connection with the construction of the Ontario Government Building at the Canadian National Exhibition.
123. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in

(5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.

131. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

140. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.

141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

147. Mar. 31.—*Mr. Dunbar*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases were made in the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 from the Taylor Hardware Company, either from its head office at New Liskeard, or from any of its branches elsewhere, by all Departments of the Ontario Government, including the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, giving the total amount of the purchases in each year from each branch of the company by each Department. 2. What was the general nature of the purchases.
148. “ 31.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. If the Employment Office at 70 Lombard Street, Toronto, has been or is presently to be closed, what disposition has been or is proposed to be made of the premises, stating particulars.
149. “ 31.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.
150. “ 31.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What are the names and addresses of the outside architects employed by the Government in connection with building operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 2. What were they paid for their services for the work mentioned in (1). 3. What other work, if any, have they done for the present Government. 4. What is the total amount paid them by the present Government since taking office. 5. Who were the Superintending Engineers in connection with construction operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 6. What was the nature of the duties of the Superintending Engineers in connection with construction operations at the Ontario Hospital at Port Arthur. 7. What amount was paid the Superintending Engineers for their services in connection with the Port Arthur Hospital project. 8. What other services, if any, have they performed for the Government. 9. What is the total amount the Supervising Engineers mentioned in (5) have been paid by the present Government since taking office.
151. “ 31.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What qualifications are required by the Department of Education for Inspector of Secondary Schools. 2. Has Mr. Andre Lemieux such qualifications. 3. Who has been appointed to assume the duties formerly discharged by Mr. Woodley. Has more than one person been appointed to assume his duties.
152. “ 31.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of Ontario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill,

capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. Which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills, giving default date and particulars of default in each case.

153. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In connection with the Ontario Hospitals at St. Thomas, Port Arthur and Brampton, and in connection with additions or extensions at the Ontario Hospitals at Woodstock and New Toronto: (a) What outside architects were employed and what amount was paid to each by the present Government and what amounts are still due or claimed; (b) Give the same information in relation to employment of superintending engineers.
154. “ 1.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.
155. “ 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the Ontario Hospitals indicating (a) The kinds and quantities of coal purchased with respect to each hospital; (b) The per ton price in each instance; (c) Name of dealer in each instance; (d) The total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each hospital. 2. Was the coal purchased on a delivered basis; if not give particulars as to cost of trucking or other delivery arrangement. 3. How many specimens of coal delivered were tested as to B.T.U. value, ash content, etc., and were any deductions in payments made or bonuses paid with respect to coal varying from standards specified, giving particulars. 4. Was the coal purchased on a competitive tender basis. 5. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 6. Was each dealer who so requested allowed to tender. 7. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased for use in Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940. 8. What quantity of Nova Scotia coal was purchased for use in each of the Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; from what dealers was the Nova Scotia coal purchased in each case, at what price per ton and what was the total amount paid each dealer with respect to such Nova Scotia coal.
156. “ 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Ontario Research Foundation continuing its experiments and research

work relating to the control of contagious abortion (Bang's disease), by work with the remaining herds of cattle at the Ontario Hospitals; if not, when were the experiments discontinued. 2. Over what period did the experiments extend and what amount was paid the Ontario Research Foundation in this connection. 3. At what Ontario Hospitals are dairy herds maintained. 4. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are T. B. tested. 5. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are blood tested regularly in relation to contagious abortion (Bang's disease).

157. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many loans were made to settlers by the Settlers' Loan Commissioner. 2. How many of these loans were outstanding in whole or in part on December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of these loans was outstanding on December 31st, 1940, and of the total amount indicate: (a) Amount in arrears; (b) Amount not in arrears. 4. What amount of interest was past due on December 31st, 1940. 5. What agency is now collecting these loans. 6. When was the position of Settlers' Loan Commissioner abolished. 7. When was the practice of making loans to Settlers under The Northern Development Act abolished, or discontinued.
158. “ 1.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was (a) the quantity and (b) the value of the stock of common brick and of tapestry brick at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the value of the stock of the following products at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, as of December 31st, 1940, viz.: (a) Floor and wall tile; (b) Spanish roofing tile; (c) Hollow building tile; (d) Agricultural tile. 3. When was the manufacture of clay products discontinued at this institution.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

3. Mar. 26.—*Mr. Elgie*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.
5. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Challies*—That a Return be laid before this House showing:—
1. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939, and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each individual or firm; (c) Date of

export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined. 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 4. State how value of timber is determined. 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

29. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin*. **PRINTED.**
30. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company. *Mr. Kennedy*. **PRINTED.**
31. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited. *Mr. Kennedy*. **PRINTED.**
32. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan*. **REPRINTED.**
33. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor. *Mr. Fletcher*. **REPRINTED.**
34. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins. *Mr. Habel*. **REPRINTED.**

No. 32

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, FRIDAY, APRIL 4TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

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123. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Has the Federal Government made any representations to the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to taking over the Employment Offices, presently under provincial control. 2. If so, when were such representations made and what was the nature thereof.
125. “ 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commis-

sioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.

137. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.
140. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.
141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.
147. “ 31.—*Mr. Dunbar*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases were made in the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 from the Taylor Hardware Company, either from its head office at New Liskeard, or from any of its branches elsewhere, by all Departments of the Ontario Government, including the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, giving the total amount of the purchases in each year from each branch of the company by each Department. 2. What was the general nature of the purchases.
148. “ 31.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. If the Employment Office at 70 Lombard Street, Toronto, has been or is presently to be closed, what disposition has been or is proposed to be made of the premises, stating particulars.

149. Mar. 31.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.
152. “ 31.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of Ontario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill, capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. Which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills, giving default date and particulars of default in each case.
153. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In connection with the Ontario Hospitals at St. Thomas, Port Arthur and Brampton, and in connection with additions or extensions at the Ontario Hospitals at Woodstock and New Toronto: (a) What outside architects were employed and what amount was paid to each by the present Government and what amounts are still due or claimed; (b) Give the same information in relation to employment of superintending engineers.
154. “ 1.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.
155. “ 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases of coal were made during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the Ontario Hospitals indicating (a) The kinds and quantities of coal purchased with respect to each hospital; (b) The per ton price in each instance; (c) Name of dealer in each instance; (d) The total amount paid to each dealer with respect to coal supplied to each hospital. 2. Was the coal purchased on a delivered basis; if not give particulars as to cost of trucking or other delivery arrangement. 3. How many specimens of coal delivered were tested as to B.T.U. value, ash content, etc., and were any deductions in payments made or bonuses paid with respect to coal varying from standards specified, giving particulars. 4. Was the coal purchased on a competitive tender basis. 5. Were tenders advertised for, and if so, when and in what newspapers. 6. Was each dealer who so requested allowed to tender.

7. What was the total quantity of Nova Scotia coal purchased for use in Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940. 8. What quantity of Nova Scotia coal was purchased for use in each of the Ontario Hospitals during the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1940; from what dealers was the Nova Scotia coal purchased in each case, at what price per ton and what was the total amount paid each dealer with respect to such Nova Scotia coal.

156. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Ontario Research Foundation continuing its experiments and research work relating to the control of contagious abortion (Bang's disease), by work with the remaining herds of cattle at the Ontario Hospitals; if not, when were the experiments discontinued. 2. Over what period did the experiments extend and what amount was paid the Ontario Research Foundation in this connection. 3. At what Ontario Hospitals are dairy herds maintained. 4. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are T. B. tested. 5. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are blood tested regularly in relation to contagious abortion (Bang's disease).

157. “ 1.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many loans were made to settlers by the Settlers' Loan Commissioner. 2. How many of these loans were outstanding in whole or in part on December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of these loans was outstanding on December 31st, 1940, and of the total amount indicate: (a) Amount in arrears; (b) Amount not in arrears. 4. What amount of interest was past due on December 31st, 1940. 5. What agency is now collecting these loans. 6. When was the position of Settlers' Loan Commissioner abolished. 7. When was the practice of making loans to Settlers under The Northern Development Act abolished, or discontinued.

158. “ 1.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was (a) the quantity and (b) the value of the stock of common brick and of tapestry brick at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the value of the stock of the following products at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, as of December 31st, 1940, viz.: (a) Floor and wall tile; (b) Spanish roofing tile; (c) Hollow building tile; (d) Agricultural tile. 3. When was the manufacture of clay products discontinued at this institution.

159. “ 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What did the Department of Public Highways pay per barrel for cement used on highways for years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. What quantity of cement was used during each year 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 3. What firms supplied cement to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

4. What firms supplied metal culverts to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, and what was the price.

160. Apr. 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many automobiles were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 2. How many trucks were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 3. Specify the number of automobiles owned by and attached to each department or board or commission of the Government on December 31st, 1940—the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted.
161. “ 2.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been acquired to provide for construction of approaches or other works in connection with the Rainbow bridge at Niagara Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms.
162. “ 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much was spent for motor car rentals by each Department of the Government in the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. How much was paid to members of the civil service for the same period with respect to mileage for use of their motor cars on Government business, specifying the amount spent by each Department. 3. What is the present mileage rate allowed with respect to personally-owned motor cars used by members of the civil service on Government business and what are the present rules and regulations respecting such allowances.
163. “ 2.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Where were the motor car markers for 1939 and 1940 produced. 2. How many were manufactured in each of the years mentioned in (1), specifying the different types. 3. What was the manufacturing cost of single plates, sets of two plates and sets of three plates respectively. 4. What was the selling price to the Department of Highways in each of the cases mentioned in (3). 5. If manufactured at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, what was the number of paid help employed and in connection with such paid help state: (a) Name of employee; (b) Home address of employee; (c) Category of each employee; (d) Wage rate of each employee and total amount paid each in each of the years mentioned in (1). 6. Who, if anyone, was employed to give general oversight and direction respecting manufacturing operations, what was his home address and what were the general terms and conditions as to his services and remuneration therefor.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

3. Mar. 26.—*Mr. Elgie*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.

5. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Challies*—That a Return be laid before this House showing:—
 1. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939, and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each individual or firm; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government.
 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined.
 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government.
 4. State how value of timber is determined.
 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

6. “ 3.—*Mr. Doucett*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: (a) The number of motor cars and trucks purchased by the Government since July 11th, 1934, or by any board or commission of the Government, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted; (b) The department, board or commission for which purchased; (c) Date of purchase; (d) Make of car or truck; (e) Type of car or truck; (f) From whom purchased, with address; (g) Purchase price; (h) Indicating which of the cars and trucks so purchased are still owned by the Government or its boards or commissions.

PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

1. Apr. 2.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 41), An Act to amend The Magistrates Act. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**

PRIVATE BILLS

1941.

2. Mar. 5.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 12), An Act respecting the County of Carleton and the University of Ottawa. *Mr. Bégin.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 9), An Act to incorporate Malton Water Company. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
4. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 10), An Act respecting National Steel Car Corporation, Limited. *Mr. Kennedy.* **PRINTED.**
5. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
6. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 19), An Act respecting the City of Windsor. *Mr. Fletcher.* **REPRINTED.**
7. “ 27.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 22), An Act respecting the Town of Timmins. *Mr. Habel.* **REPRINTED.**

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

2. Mar. 11.—*Mr. McQuesten*—That this House will, on..... next, resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole House for the purpose of considering the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That there be paid out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund to the City of Niagara Falls in the Province of Ontario the annual sum of \$12,000 in the year 1941 and in each year thereafter until and including the year 1980.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been

committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

8. Mar. 25.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 77), The School Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Nixon* (Brant). **PRINTED.**
9. “ 10.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 53), An Act to amend The Mental Hospitals Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
10. “ 11.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 58), An Act to amend The Venereal Diseases Prevention Act.” *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
11. “ 17.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 66), An Act to amend The Sanatoria for Consumptives Act. *Mr. Kirby*. **PRINTED.**
12. “ 20.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 72), An Act to Ratify and Confirm a certain agreement entered into between His Majesty the King and the Algoma Central and Hudson Bay Railway Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
13. “ 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 73), An Act to amend The Income Tax Act (Ontario). *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
14. “ 28.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 79), An Act to amend The Power Commission Insurance Act. *Mr. Houck*. **PRINTED.**
15. “ 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**
16. “ 25.—*Resuming the Adjourned Debate* on the Motion for Second Reading of Bill (No. 76), An Act to amend The Milk Control Act. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**
17. “ 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan*. **PRINTED.**

18. Mar. 10.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 55), An Act respecting the Rainbow Bridge. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
19. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
20. “ 17.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 69), An Act to amend The Voters Lists Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
21. “ 21.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
22. “ 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 80), An Act to amend The Division Courts Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
23. “ 31.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 81), An Act to amend The Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway Act. *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin). **PRINTED.**
24. Apr. 1.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
25. “ 1.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 83), An Act to amend The Cemetery Act. *Mr. Kirby.* **PRINTED.**
26. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 84), An Act to amend The Public Service Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
27. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 85), An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
28. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 86), An Act to amend The Beach Protection Act. *Mr. Laurier.* **PRINTED.**
29. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 87), An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Board Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
30. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 88), An Act to amend The Surveys Act. *Mr. Heenan.* **PRINTED.**
31. “ 2.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 89), An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
32. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
33. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
34. “ 3.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 92), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**
35. Mar. 12.—*House in Committee of Supply.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).
36. “ 12.—*House in Committee on Ways and Means.* *Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin).

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, MONDAY, APRIL 7TH, 1941

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QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.
76. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What is the total cost of the addition to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission Head Office since 1937: (a) Building; (b) Furniture and furnishings; (c) Equipment and accessories (1) to date, (2) estimated to complete. 2. Was the expenditure approved by the (a) Hydro-Electric Power Commission; (b) By the Ontario Government—and what date. 3. Were tenders called. If so, what tenders were received. 4. When was the addition started. 5. What was the cost of the new Hydro-Electric Power Commission building to the end of 1937, contracted for in 1934 or 1935.
81. “ 6.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Veterans whose cases were dealt with in the Hunter Report tabled in the Legislature at the 1935 Session have been reinstated. 2. Give names and date of reinstatement in each case. 3. How many, whose names remain on the list, are eligible for reinstatement, have not been reinstated.
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114. " 18.—*Mr. Elgie*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. With respect to each of the following classes of authority holder under the Liquor Control Board of Ontario, viz.: Social Clubs; Soldier and Labour Clubs; Military Messes; Railways; Steamships, and for each of the fiscal years ending October 31st, 1934, March 31st, 1935 (5 months), March 31st, 1936, March 31st, 1937; March 31st, 1938, March 31st, 1939, March 31st, 1940, and for the ten months' period April 1st, 1940, to January 31st, 1941: (a) What was the gallonage of beer, ale and allied products sold by breweries and brewery warehouses for resale; (b) What was the wholesale price of the beer, ale and allied products mentioned in (a) to the authority holders; (c) What was the gallonage of native wine sold for resale; (d) What was the wholesale cost to the authority holders of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to the authority holders.

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125. Mar. 20.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many road camps for the detention of prisoners have been placed in operation since the present Government took office, specifying: (a) Total number established and location of each; (b) Number and location of camps in use, December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the total amount expended to December 31st, 1940, in connection with each camp as to: (a) Cost of construction, furnishing and other capital costs; (b) Operating costs. 3. What was the opening date for each camp. 4. For the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, what was, with respect to each camp: (a) Average number of inmates; (b) Average number of staff. 5. What road construction or other construction of public works has been accomplished to December 31st, 1940, with respect to each of the camps established. 6. Detail particulars as to purchase and rental of road machinery and construction machinery and equipment for use in connection with road camps.
129. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. From April 1st, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Minister of the Government. 2. What other passengers have been carried on these trips, accompanying the various Ministers. 3. From April, 1937, to December 31st, 1940, what is the number of flying hours in Government-owned airplanes of each Civil Servant of the Province except those employed in the Provincial Air Force and as fire or forest rangers. 4. How many airplanes are now owned by the Province. 5. How many airplanes have been purchased by the Province since the present Government took office. 6. From whom were the airplanes mentioned in (5) purchased in each case, what was date of purchase and what was the cost of each; also state type of airplane. 7. Since the present Government took office, how many airplanes have been manufactured by the Province under manufacturing rights purchased from A. H. to L. D. Buhl. 8. Since April 1st, 1936, how many accidents have happened to Ontario Government airplanes. 9. Were any planes destroyed, and if so, when, where and what was value of each. 10. Where did the accidents occur and when, and when planes were salvaged, what was cost of repairs in each case.
131. “ 20.—*Mr. Acres*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Since April 1st, 1937, what Royal Commissions have been appointed by the Government and indicate: (a) Subject of investigation; (b) Who have been employed in each case, including Commissioners, Counsel, experts, engineers, reporters and others; (c) The amount paid to each of those mentioned in (b); (d) Total cost in each case.
137. “ 20.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let and by what Department, Commission or other agency of the Government for the construction of the Rainbow

Bridge at Niagara Falls and all approaches and other works incidental thereto, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Nature of work to be performed and materials to be supplied in each case; (c) Contract price in each case; (d) Date of each contract; (e) Date set for completion of each contract. 2. Were all contracts let by public tender. 3. Give names and amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

140. Mar. 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.

141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

147. “ 31.—*Mr. Dunbar*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What purchases were made in the years 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 from the Taylor Hardware Company, either from its head office at New Liskeard, or from any of its branches elsewhere, by all Departments of the Ontario Government, including the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway, giving the total amount of the purchases in each year from each branch of the company by each Department. 2. What was the general nature of the purchases.

149. “ 31.—*Mr. Duckworth*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many Old Age Pensions have been discontinued during the period January 1st, 1937, up to the present time. 2. How many Old Age Pensions have been reduced, in regard to amount payable, during the same above period.

152. “ 31.—*Mr. Black*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many agreements have been signed between the Government and companies, firms or individuals, requiring the construction of pulp mills in the Province of Ontario since January 1st, 1936. 2. Give names of companies, firms or individuals and type of mill, capacity, proposed location and date when mill to be completed

in each case. 3. Which of the mills have been constructed. 4. Which of the mills are under construction. 5. Which of the contracting companies, firms or individuals are in default with respect to their agreements to build mills, giving default date and particulars of default in each case.

153. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. In connection with the Ontario Hospitals at St. Thomas, Port Arthur and Brampton, and in connection with additions or extensions at the Ontario Hospitals at Woodstock and New Toronto: (a) What outside architects were employed and what amount was paid to each by the present Government and what amounts are still due or claimed; (b) Give the same information in relation to employment of superintending engineers.
154. “ 1.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.
156. “ 1.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Is the Ontario Research Foundation continuing its experiments and research work relating to the control of contagious abortion (Bang's disease), by work with the remaining herds of cattle at the Ontario Hospitals; if not, when were the experiments discontinued. 2. Over what period did the experiments extend and what amount was paid the Ontario Research Foundation in this connection. 3. At what Ontario Hospitals are dairy herds maintained. 4. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are T. B. tested. 5. Which of the herds at the Ontario Hospitals are blood tested regularly in relation to contagious abortion (Bang's disease).
157. “ 1.—*Mr. Spence*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many loans were made to settlers by the Settlers' Loan Commissioner. 2. How many of these loans were outstanding in whole or in part on December 31st, 1940. 3. What amount of these loans was outstanding on December 31st, 1940, and of the total amount indicate: (a) Amount in arrears; (b) Amount not in arrears. 4. What amount of interest was past due on December 31st, 1940. 5. What agency is now collecting these loans. 6. When was the position of Settlers' Loan Commissioner abolished. 7. When was the practice of making loans to Settlers under The Northern Development Act abolished, or discontinued.

158. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Summerville*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was (a) the quantity and (b) the value of the stock of common brick and of tapestry brick at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant at Mimico on December 31st, 1940. 2. What was the value of the stock of the following products at the Ontario Brick and Tile Plant, Mimico, as of December 31st, 1940, viz.: (a) Floor and wall tile; (b) Spanish roofing tile; (c) Hollow building tile; (d) Agricultural tile. 3. When was the manufacture of clay products discontinued at this institution.
159. “ 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What did the Department of Public Highways pay per barrel for cement used on highways for years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 2. What quantity of cement was used during each year 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 3. What firms supplied cement to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940. 4. What firms supplied metal culverts to the Department of Public Highways for 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, and what was the price.
160. “ 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How many automobiles were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 2. How many trucks were owned by the Government on December 31st, 1940. 3. Specify the number of automobiles owned by and attached to each department or board or commission of the Government on December 31st, 1940—the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted.
161. “ 2.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What lands have been acquired to provide for construction of approaches or other works in connection with the Rainbow bridge at Niagara Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms.
162. “ 2.—*Mr. Doucett*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. How much was spent for motor car rentals by each Department of the Government in the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. How much was paid to members of the civil service for the same period with respect to mileage for use of their motor cars on Government business, specifying the amount spent by each Department. 3. What is the present mileage rate allowed with respect to personally-owned motor cars used by members of the civil service on Government business and what are the present rules and regulations respecting such allowances.

163. Apr. 2.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Where were the motor car markers for 1939 and 1940 produced. 2. How many were manufactured in each of the years mentioned in (1), specifying the different types. 3. What was the manufacturing cost of single plates, sets of two plates and sets of three plates respectively. 4. What was the selling price to the Department of Highways in each of the cases mentioned in (3). 5. If manufactured at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, what was the number of paid help employed and in connection with such paid help state: (a) Name of employee; (b) Home address of employee; (c) Category of each employee; (d) Wage rate of each employee and total amount paid each in each of the years mentioned in (1). 6. Who, if anyone, was employed to give general oversight and direction respecting manufacturing operations, what was his home address and what were the general terms and conditions as to his services and remuneration therefor.

164. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the years 1933, 1934, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939: (a) How many persons were sentenced to prison in the Province; (b) What was the average per capita cost per diem, for the maintenance of inmates in Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms; (c) What was the total number of days' stay of inmates in the Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms.

NOTICES OF MOTIONS

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3. Mar. 26.—*Mr. Elgie*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.

5. Apr. 1.—*Mr. Challies*—That a Return be laid before this House showing:—
1. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939, and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each individual or firm; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined. 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To

whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 4. State how value of timber is determined. 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

6. Apr. 3.—*Mr. Doucett*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: (a) The number of motor cars and trucks purchased by the Government since July 11th, 1934, or by any board or commission of the Government, the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario excepted; (b) The department, board or commission for which purchased; (c) Date of purchase; (d) Make of car or truck; (e) Type of car or truck; (f) From whom purchased, with address; (g) Purchase price; (h) Indicating which of the cars and trucks so purchased are still owned by the Government or its boards or commissions.

7. “ 4.—*Mr. Challies*—That there be laid before this House a Return showing: All correspondence, memoranda, telegrams, agreements or contracts between the Government or the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, and any or all power companies relative to the export of power now being made to Massena, New York.

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3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direction, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen

from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

6. Apr. 7.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—That on next this House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolutions:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

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And the said Select Committee shall be authorized to meet during the recess of the House and shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers and things and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

15. Mar. 21.—*House in Committee* on Bill (No. 74), An Act to amend the Corporations Tax Act, 1939. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, TUESDAY, APRIL 8TH, 1941

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THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Mar. 27.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 16), An Act respecting the Roman Catholic Separate Schools for the City of Toronto. *Mr. Strachan.* **REPRINTED.**
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PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS

1941.

26. Apr. 7.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 94), An Act to amend The Fatal Accidents Act. *Mr. Elgie*. **PRINTED.**

27. “ 7.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 95), An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Strachan*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

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70. Mar. 3.—*Mr. Drew*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What were the total expenses to the Province of Ontario for the attendance at the Dominion-Provincial Conference in Ottawa of cabinet ministers and all others accompanying the delegation. 2. (a) Were any fees or expenses paid in connection with the Conference other than to members of the Government and Government officials; (b) If so, give names of persons and amounts.

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native wine sold for resale in standard hotels holding authorities to sell beer and wine; (d) What was the wholesale price to authority holders in standard hotels of the wine referred to in (c); (e) What was the quantity and value of beers, ales and allied products sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer or beer and wine; (f) What was the quantity and value of imported or foreign wine sold by the Liquor Control Board of Ontario to standard hotels holding authorities for the sale of beer and wine.

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amounts of unsuccessful tenders. 4. Was the lowest tender accepted in each instance and if not give particulars. 5. What is the estimated date for completion and opening of the structure. 6. What is the total estimated cost of Ontario's share of the completed structure including approaches and all other related works.

140. Mar. 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the gallonage and sales value of beer sales for the year ending March 31st, 1940. 2. State the gallonage and value of beer sold through: (a) Authority holders; (b) All other sources, giving details; (c) Total sales.

141. “ 25.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Please give the amounts of legislative grants paid to Elementary and Secondary Schools in each of the Government's fiscal years for the period 1934 to 1940 inclusive, under the following classifications: Elementary—Public, Separate; Secondary—Continuation, High, Vocational, Collegiate. 2. How are the grants determined. 3. On what basis are the grants computed. 4. Have any grants, other than scheduled grants, been made to either public or separate schools. If so, when and what amount.

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154. “ 1.—*Mr. Macaulay*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What mileage of the highway from North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie is paved. 2. What amounts were spent on the North Bay to Sault Ste. Marie highway in each of the fiscal years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940 and for the period April 1st, 1940, to December 31st, 1940, indicating in each case: (a) Capital expenditures; (b) Ordinary expenditures. 3. Give location and lengths of various mileages paved.
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Falls, indicating: (a) Description of each parcel acquired; (b) From whom each parcel was acquired; (c) Purchase price of each parcel acquired; (d) Whether acquired by mutual agreement or by expropriation; (e) Who acted for the Government or any Department, Commission or other agency of the Government in fixing valuations for lands acquired; (f) What buildings or other structures were located on each parcel and what disposition was made of such buildings or structures, to whom and under what terms.

163. Apr. 2.—*Mr. Stewart*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Where were the motor car markers for 1939 and 1940 produced. 2. How many were manufactured in each of the years mentioned in (1), specifying the different types. 3. What was the manufacturing cost of single plates, sets of two plates and sets of three plates respectively. 4. What was the selling price to the Department of Highways in each of the cases mentioned in (3). 5. If manufactured at the Ontario Reformatory, Guelph, what was the number of paid help employed and in connection with such paid help state: (a) Name of employee; (b) Home address of employee; (c) Category of each employee; (d) Wage rate of each employee and total amount paid each in each of the years mentioned in (1). 6. Who, if anyone, was employed to give general oversight and direction respecting manufacturing operations, what was his home address and what were the general terms and conditions as to his services and remuneration therefor.
164. “ 3.—*Mr. Challies*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. For the years 1933, 1934, 1936, 1937, 1938 and 1939: (a) How many persons were sentenced to prison in the Province; (b) What was the average per capita cost per diem, for the maintenance of inmates in Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms; (c) What was the total number of days' stay of inmates in the Ontario Reformatories and Industrial Farms.
165. “ 4.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Upon what date was the beer authority to the Dopolovora Society, located in the Casa d'Italia, Barton Street East, Hamilton, granted. 2. What person or persons recommended that the said authority be granted. 3. Who were the members of said Society at time authority was granted. 4. Upon what date was this authority withdrawn. 5. For what reason or reasons was it withdrawn.
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167. Apr. 4.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. Who are the members of the staff of the Dufferin County Gaol at Orangeville. 2. What are their respective titles, dates of appointment and salaries. 3. Who recommended their respective appointments to the Sheriff of Dufferin County, to the Provincial Secretary or to any member of the Government. 4. From April 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1940, how many prisoners have escaped from the Orangeville Gaol. 5. From April 1st, 1939, to December 31st, 1940, have any members of the staff at Orangeville Gaol been dismissed or requested to resign and if so who were they and why were their services dispensed with. 6. Have any disciplinary measures been taken with respect to the present staff at Orangeville Gaol in relation to the escape of prisoners and, if so, give particulars. 7. Have any steps been taken by the Government with a view to merging the Orangeville Gaol with the Peel County Gaol at Brampton and, if so, specify.

168. “ 4.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What relief payments were made to Township of King in 1940 and 1941. 2. Were any payments, direct or indirect, made to any organization or corporation in the Township of King in the way of assistance to families placed on land in 1940 and 1941.

169. “ 4.—*Mr. Downer*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What was the cost of the construction of the following highways: No. 24—Shelburne to Collingwood—1940, Duntroon to Stayner—1940; No. 89—Shelburne to Cookstown—1940. 2. What was the cost of maintenance of the above highways in 1940. 3. Give names of maintenance employees and amount received by each in 1940.

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3. Mar. 26.—*Mr. Elgie*—That there be laid before this House a Return of all correspondence, memoranda, maps, plans, sketches and applications in relation to licenses of occupation relating to parts of lots numbered Eleven and Twelve in the First Concession of the Township of Cavendish, such licenses of occupation being applied for by or on behalf of Frank Williams, Percy Blade, George Goodfellow and George Windover or any of them.

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clearance; and (f) Value of pulpwood covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 2. State how value of pulpwood is determined. 3. What licenses have been granted by this Government for the export of all timber other than pulpwood cut from Crown Lands in each of the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940, indicating: (a) To whom export licenses were granted, with address; (b) Number of licenses granted to each exporter; (c) Date of export clearances; (d) Date of Orders-in-Council authorizing; (e) Kinds and quantities of timber covered by each export clearance; (f) Value of timber covered by each export clearance; (g) Other dues charged by Government. 4. State how value of timber is determined. 5. What was the total value of (a) pulpwood and (b) timber cut from Crown Lands and exported in the calendar years 1937, 1938, 1939 and 1940.

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

TORONTO, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9TH, 1941

ROUTINE PROCEEDINGS

PRESENTING PETITIONS.

READING AND RECEIVING PETITIONS.

PRESENTING REPORTS BY COMMITTEES.

MOTIONS.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS.

PRECEDENCE:—*Until the hour of six o'clock p.m.*, THIRD READINGS; QUESTIONS PUT BY MEMBERS; NOTICES OF MOTIONS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; *From eight o'clock p.m. For the first hour*, PRIVATE BILLS; PUBLIC BILLS AND ORDERS; GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS; GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THIRD READINGS

1941.

1. Mar. 10.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 54), An Act respecting the subsidizing of Cheese and Hogs produced in Ontario. *Mr. Dewan.* **PRINTED.**
2. Apr. 1.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 82), An Act to amend The Securities Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
3. “ 3.—*Third Reading* Bill (No. 91), An Act to amend The Department of Municipal Affairs Act. *Mr. McQuesten.* **PRINTED.**

4. Apr. 3.—*Third Reading Bill* (No. 92), The Municipal Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
5. “ 4.—*Third Reading Bill* (No. 93), The Assessment Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. McQuesten*. **PRINTED.**
6. “ 7.—*Third Reading Bill* (No. 96), An Act respecting a certain Bond Mortgage made by the Abitibi Power and Paper Company Limited to the Montreal Trust Company. *Mr. Conant*. **PRINTED.**

QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS

1941.

56. Feb. 27.—*Mr. Kennedy*—Enquiry of the Ministry—1. What contracts have been let in relation to construction on the Trans-Canada Highway since November 1st, 1940, specifying: (a) Name of contractor; (b) Mileage and location in relation to each contract; (c) Work covered by each contract; (d) Unit prices and estimated or actual total costs respecting each contract.
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8. “ 8.—*Mr. Drew*—That in the opinion of this Legislature the administration and control of the forest resources of this Province should be placed under the direction of a public body to be known as the Ontario Forest Resources Commission, organized along similar lines and with similar powers to those of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES OF MOTIONS

1941.

3. Mar. 12.—*Mr. Conant*—That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Parliament assembled, is of opinion that the grand jury system should be suspended in Ontario during the continuance of the present war.

This Legislative Assembly requests the Parliament of Canada to pass such legislation as may be necessary to bring about such suspension and to provide for the presentment of a formal charge on the trial of an accused person who has been committed for trial by a magistrate, in accordance with the procedure which now obtains in the Provinces of Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta, Saskatchewan and British Columbia under the provisions of the Criminal Code (Section 873).

This Legislative Assembly further requests the Parliament of Canada to pass legislation providing that where a charge is preferred by the Attorney-General or by anyone by his direc-

tion, or by anyone with the written consent of a judge of any court of criminal jurisdiction or of the Attorney-General, such charge shall first be submitted to and its preferment recommended by a reviewing jury composed of nine jurors chosen from the petit jury panel (of which five members may recommend the preferment of the charge) the choosing and swearing of and the proceedings before and by such reviewing jury to be governed, *mutatis mutandis*, by the provisions of the Criminal Code relating to proceedings before and by a grand jury.

6. Apr. 7.—*Mr. Hepburn* (Elgin)—That on next this House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole for the consideration of the following Resolutions:—

Resolved,

1. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council be authorized to raise from time to time by way of loan such sum or sums of money as may be deemed expedient for any or all of the following purposes, that is to say: For the public service, for works carried on by commissioners on behalf of Ontario, for the covering of any debt of Ontario on open account, for paying any floating indebtedness of Ontario, and for the carrying on of the public works authorized by the Legislature; Provided that the principal amount of any securities issued and the amount of any temporary loans raised under the authority of this Act, including any securities issued for the retirement of the said securities or temporary loans, at any time outstanding shall not exceed in the whole Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000).

2. That the aforesaid sum of money may be borrowed for any term or terms not exceeding forty years, at such rate as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council and shall be raised upon the credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund of Ontario, and shall be chargeable thereupon.

3. That the Lieutenant-Governor in Council may provide for a special sinking fund with respect to the issue herein authorized, and such sinking fund may be at a greater rate than the one-half of one per centum per annum specified in subsection 3 of section 3 of *The Provincial Loans Act*.

7. “ 7.—*Mr. Oliver*—That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to investigate, inquire into and report upon the distribution and sale of hydro-electric power in Ontario, particularly with the object in view that a flat or more equalized rate might be enjoyed by all municipal, industrial and rural users as, in the opinion of this House, the proposed development on the St.

Lawrence of 1,100,000 horse-power of low-cost electrical energy for Ontario should warrant a more equitable arrangement than now exists.

And the said Select Committee shall be authorized to meet during the recess of the House and shall have full power and authority to call for persons, papers and things and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly doth hereby command and compel the attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the said Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings or deliberations, for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his warrant or warrants.

GOVERNMENT ORDERS

1941.

7. Apr. 3.—*House again in Committee* on Bill (No. 90), The Statute Law Amendment Act, 1941. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
8. Mar. 19.—*Resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Second Reading* of Bill (No. 68), An Act to amend The Jurors Act. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
9. “ 13.—*Second Reading* Bill (No. 65), An Act to provide for the Suspension of Grand Juries during the Present War. *Mr. Conant.* **PRINTED.**
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